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UP TRAINS

STATIONS	No. 2 A.M.	No. 6 A.M.	No. 10A A.M.	No. 10 A.M.	No. 8 A.M.	No. 12 A.M.	G up A.M. Mixed	No. 14 P.M.	No. 6A P.M. A	No. 16 P.M.	O No. 22 P.M.	No. 18 P.M.	No. 24 P.M.	No. 26 P.M.	No. 28 P.M.
Kowloon Dep.	6.23	8.15	8.37	9.05	9.15	10.12	11.30	12.12	12.43	1.20	2.20	4.35	4.55	6.07	7.43
Yaumati Dep.	6.33	...	...	...	9.24	10.19	11.41	12.19	...	1.27	...	...	5.02	6.15	7.50
Shatin .. Dep.	6.45	...	...	...	9.36	10.31	11.53	12.31	...	1.39	...	...	5.15	6.27	8.02
Taipo .. Dep.	6.59	...	...	...	9.50	10.46	12.08	12.45	...	1.52	...	...	5.28	6.41	8.15
Taipo Market Dep.	7.04	...	...	...	9.55	10.50	12.16	12.49	...	1.56	...	...	5.32	6.46	8.19
Fanling. Dep.	7.15	...	...	...	10.06	11.01	12.32	12.59	...	2.06	...	...	5.43	6.57	8.29
Sheungshui.. Dep.	7.20	...	9.14	9.42	10.11	11.06	12.37	1.04	...	2.11	2.59	...	5.48	7.02	8.34
Shumchun .. Arr.	7.26	8.53	9.20	9.48	10.17	11.13	12.43	1.10	1.31	2.17	3.06	5.13	5.54	7.08	8.40
Canton .Arr.	...	11.25	...	...	5.45	...	...	...	3.56	...	...	7.45	...	...	...

DOWN TRAINS

STATIONS	No. 1 A.M.	No. 3 A.M.	No. 5 A.M.	No. 7 A.M.	No. 11 P.M.	No. 15 A.M.	No. 5A P.M. A	No. 9 A.M.	G down P.M. Mixed	M C P.M.	No. 17 P.M.	No. 19 P.M.	No. 13 P.M.	No. 13 P.M.	O No. 21 P.M.	No. 25 P.M.
Canton. Dep.	...	...	8.00	...	...	...	12.55	3.40	...	*	...	...	4.20	5.10	...	...
Shumchun.. Dep.	7.02	7.50	10.30	10.48	12.16	2.44	3.29	4.08	4.20	4.39	5.34	6.13	6.50	7.41	7.11	9.00
Sheungshui.. Dep.	7.09	7.57	...	10.55	12.23	2.51	...	4.15	4.28	4.45	5.40	6.19	...	...	7.17	9.07
Fanling Dep.	7.14	8.02	...	11.00	12.28	2.56	...	4.20	4.33	...	5.44	6.25	...	...	...	...
Taipo Market Dep.	7.25	8.12	...	11.10	12.39	3.06	...	4.31	4.54	...	...	6.35	...	...	...	...
Taipo .. Dep.	7.30	8.16	...	11.14	12.44	3.11	...	4.35	5.02	5.00	...	6.40	...	...	...	...
Shatin . Dep.	7.43	8.30	...	11.28	12.58	3.24	...	4.49	5.17	5.16	6.05	6.53	...	...	...	...
Yaumati Dep.	7.56	8.43	..	11.41	1.12	3.37	...	5.02	5.34	...	...	7.06	...	...	...	...
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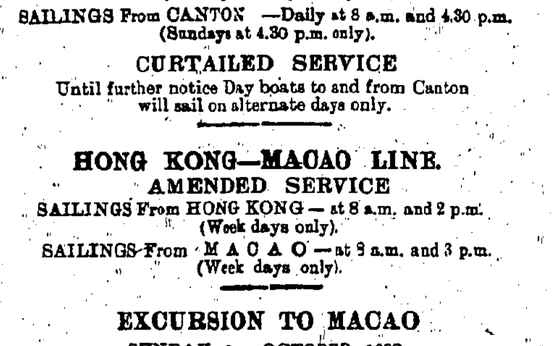

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ROYAL HELPERS AT FETE

Edinbugh, Sept. 12.

There were five Royal stallholders at a fete held in the grounds of Abergeldie Castle Deeside. Among them was Princess Margaret who cedebrated her third birthday last month. The fete, in fact, might be called her first public appearance.

The Royal visitors held the following stalls:

The Queen.—China and fancy articles.

The Duke of York.—Game.

The Duchess of York—Greengrocery and preserves

Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret.—White and purple heather.

The Queen's stall was besieged by a throng of eager buyers. Throughout the afternoon she was kept busy—the crowd in front of her stall was never less than six or eight deep.

It was very hot in the marquee, but the Queen never deserted her counter till four o'clock, by which time she had cleared all her stock. Her Majesty then went to Lady Keppel's flower stall and helped her to get rid of her supply of blooms.

While the Durchess of York was busy among cabbages, carrots, and pots of jam, and the Duke was disposing of grouse and other game, the little Princesses' stall of white and purple heather was the centre of an admiring throng. Princess Elizabeth was an able saleswoman, greeting each purchaser with a smile while Princess Margaret was a most efficient assistant.

As Princess Elizabeth attended to her customers, her little sister selected new sprigs of heather for her. Trade was so brisk that a second consignment had to be sent for.

Although the King did not attend while the fete was in progress, he showed his interest in the event by visiting all the stalls in the course of the forenoon.

The fete was held to defray the cost of the installation of heating apparatus in the little church of Crathie, where the King and Queen and other members of the Royal family worship while in residence.

NEW UNDER-SECRETARY FOR SCOTLAND

The Secretary of State for Scotland has appointed Mr. John Jeffrey, C.B., C.B.E. who has been Secretary to the Department of Health for Scotland from 1929, to the office of Permanent Under-Secretary of State for Scotland, which will become vacant on October 1 by the retirement of Sir John Lamb, K.C.B., LL.D.

The Secretary of State has appointed Mr. J. E. Highton, B.L., Chief Insurance Inspector in the Department of Health for Scotland, to succeed Mr. Jeffrey as Secretary to the Department.

Mr. Jeffrey, who was born 62 years ago, of Scottish parentage, has been associated with the work of medical and Poor Law relief and the public health service in Scotland for the last 30 years. From 1912 to 1919 he was Secretary to the Scottish National Health Insurance Commission, and he was Secretary to the Scottish Board of Health for the next nine years.

FOUNDER PADRE OF TOC H

The Toc H fete at Kirkton House Carluke, to-morrow, which brings the popular founder padre, the Rev. Philip Thomas Byard Clayton, to Scotland, revives the curiosity that still exists regarding his movement. Toc H—the "Toc" is merely old army signals language for the letter "T"—stands for Talbot House, a service mission to soldiers instituted during the war and named after Gilbert Talbot, youngest son of the Bishop of Winchester. The post-war movement has for its aim the training of the younger generation in "class reconciliation and unselfish service."

WRITER AND TRAVELLER

The Rev. Mr. Clayton is a native of Queensland, Australia, and has been vicar of All Hallows, Barking-by-the-Tower, London, since 1922. For the Toc H movement he has written and spoken many hundreds of thousands of words and travelled nearly round the world. He has toured the Empire, the United States, and South America, but travelling has a fascination for him, as he counts "tramp steamers" among his chief amusements.

THE LATE DR. FRASER

A tribute by the Rev. Ernest D. Jarvis, of Wellington Church, Glasgow, to the memory of the late Very Rev. Dr. Donald Fraser was read at the morning service in Wellington Church. Mr. Jarvis said that there was no man more loved for his own sake in all the Church than Donald Fraser.

"I first met him," Mr. Jarvis recalled, "when he was on his first furlough from Livingstonia—a very short meeting it was, and he would not, I imagine, remember it, but it meant much to a young student to have seen his face, to have realised the consecrated character of the man, and to have listened to the real eloquence with which Dr. Fraser always described the call and needs of Africa.

"Between that time and the time when I was brought through Wellington into closer touch with him there lay a long period when Africa claimed all his strength. The work he did there, which brought him fame and honours from his University and the General Assembly, will be his lasting monument. He was one of the greatest of modern missionaries.

"Others can and will speak of his work, and perhaps the value of what he did after his recall to the homeland will yet be assessed at its true value. Meanwhile, we remember not the missionary, statesman, the ex-Moderator, the Chaplain to the King, but the man who was a member and an elder in this congregation, so gracious, so genial, so charming in his true and simple piety.

"He was a lovely man whom it is a blessing to have known, and whom it will always be a blessing to remember. We are grateful to God for such a gift, for his fellowship with us, and for the influence which the recollection of him will exert on us who loved him until we see him again.

"We remember with affection Mrs. Fraser and her children at home, and we remember with as real an affection George Fraser, so recently settled in his father's old mission field—a lonely post—haunted now by the memory of a father whom he will not see on earth again."

'LOCH LOMOND' SUNG BY CHINESE BOYS

One of Scotland's best-known songs—"The Bonnie, Bonnie Banks o' Loch Lomond"—was sung with clearness and feeling by two Chinese boys in a special B.B. broadcast from the Glasgow studio of the B.B.C. of "Jubilee Jinks."

This entertainment was specially arranged by Glasgow Battalion of The Boys' Brigade, and was heard by thousands of little listeners throughout Scotland during Children's Hour.

The two Chinese boys, Choy Ah Soo and Tan Keng Kang, have come from Singapore to take part in the jubilee celebration. In a clear voice, Keng Kang told how the B.B. flourished in Singapore, and repeated the motto of The Boys' Brigade in Chinese. The words sounded queer, but the Chinese song which followed by Ah Soo sounded queerer still.

'I will sing again," said Ah Soo, after he had finished, "but this time it will be a Scots song. They are more beautiful." The two boys then sang together a verse and the chorus of "The Bonnie, Bonnie Banks," and gave a remarkable performance.

"Jubilee Jinks" consisted of solos, duets, recitations, quartettes, and even a mouth organ number by a Glasgow lad, who made the little instrument trill. Guessing the B.B. ranks of various speakers was one of the smart items.

£50,000 ORDER FOR SCOTS GO-GETTER

The biggest single order—for 250,000 batteries valued at £50,000—was booked yesterday at the Radio Exhibition in Glasgow by a young Glasgow wireless expert who started business in a little back shop in Glasgow seven years ago.

Mr. Colin Vince began in a humble way making high-tension batteries in Bothwell Street, Glasgow. His first week's profit was £7 10s.

He went to London a few years ago and converted his tiny bedroom in Poplar into a workshop, where he continued his business. Three months later he took over the whole floor, and soon afterwards was able to acquire the whole building—an area of 20,000 square feet, including the house.

To-day this man employs 1000 workers, and they turn out batteries charged with 30,000,000 volts per week.

The £50,000 order placed with Mr. Vince yesterday is a record for the exhibition, and part of £1,000,000 worth of orders placed since the exhibition opened on Friday last.

NEW GAMING LAWS

The Scottish Office authorities are about to be faced with the big and complicated problem of dealing with the gaming and lottery laws. The position is that the Home Secretary is pledged to introduce new and comprehensive legislation for the consolidation and amendment of the existing statutes relating to gaming, gambling, and sweepstakes in England and Wales in accordance with the recommendations of the Royal Commission on Betting. In certain respects the laws of England differ from those in Scotland. The impression in Whitehall, however, is that the Government will decide in favour of a comprehensive Bill for the whole of the United Kingdom. The point is one for consideration first between the Home Office and the Scottish Office. I understand that this new principle of making the betting and sweepstake laws common to England and Scotland is regarded by the legal and constitutional experts in Whitehall as not only practicable, but highly desirable and expedient.

HOME RACING SENSATION

Rumour Coup de Lyon Is Not Fit

London, Oct. 2.

A sensation was caused in racing circles to-day by fairly reliable reports that Mr. Howard de Walden's Crack Coup de Lyon had broken down in training.

Reports state that Coup de Lyon is suffering from weakness in the hock and may never be fit enough to race again.

Coup de Lyon was until to-day second favourite for the Cambridgeshire Stakes, to be run shortly, and was, in fact, very strongly fancied. His betting price came down with a run to 100 to 1.

There seems to be little doubt about Coup de Lyon's lack of fitness, but there is evidently a hope in some quarters that he may be brought up to scratch in time for the race. There were takers at the odds of 100/1 to-day.—Reuter.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

(October 4).

(VIII Moon 15th Day).

Mid-Autumn Festival, Chungch'iu chieh, Bank and Customs Holiday.

Lammert's Sale of Household Furniture, "Roadside," Mount Davis Road, 10.30 a.m.

Concert Music, Roof Garden, Peninsula Hotel.

Modern Antimony Exhibition, Komor's Art Room, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Tenth Annual Meeting of Chinese Estates, Ltd., China Building, noon; Sergeants' Mess Committee (H.K.V.D.C.) 6 p.m.

Whist Drive, Seamen's Institute, 9 p.m.; Kowloon Union Church Women's Guild, 10 a.m.

Theatres.

Queen's: "Variety Programme."
Central: "Ladies of the Jury."
King's: "The Kid From Spain."
Oriental: "A Fool's Bridal Night" (Chinese film).
Majestic: "Carnival Boat."

Sports.

Hockey: — Mamak Tournament. R.A.M.C. v. Signals (U.S.R.C. ground), 4.30 p.m.

Lawn Bowls:—Club de Recreio v. Shanghai, 3.30 p.m.

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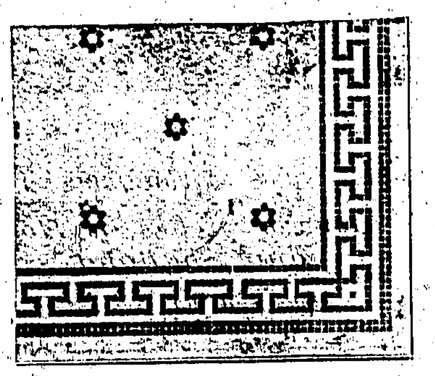

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EMPTY COFFIN THREAT

Gruesome Vengeance On Osaka Banker

An incident which the temperament and imagination of Edgar Allen Poe would undoubtedly have revelled in and which the rare synthesis of his wonderfully ingenious mind could undoubtedly have woven into a narrative that would have merited the exercise of his faculties for dramatisation occurred in Osaka recently.

A young girl had by hard work and harder economies saved Yen 1,000 and had deposited this amount in a bank of which Koichi Kadowaki was managing director. The money was intended for her trousseau. The bank in question suddenly failed and the officials of the concern, including Kadowaki, simply disappeared. In a fit of desperation, the girl threw herself under the wheels of an on-rushing express train.

Punishment Appropriate to Crime.

Depositors of the bank managed to find the hiding place of Kadowaki, seized him and brought him into the bank's premises, even to the spot where, formerly, he had sat behind an impressive roll-top desk. On the ground was a coffin and in it were the mangled remains of the young lady who had flung herself in front of the express train. Kadowaki was told to take a good look and to realise the enormity of the offence of which he was held to be guilty. The mother of the girl was present and kept alternately piling imprecations on Kadowaki's head and alternately calling on the gods to restore her daughter to her alive. She was calmed down by other women and then, at a signal from the leader of those who had engineered the arrest of Kadowaki, told in detail the story of the girl's life and death.

SOMBRE RITUAL

As she concluded, a sombre group entered the room bearing another coffin. The lid was opened and the coffin was found to be empty, but it was explained that it would shortly have a tenant unless Kadowaki affixed his seal to a document whereby he relinquished his entire estate for the benefit of the depositors of the bank in which he occupied the post of managing director. He at first attempted to argue, contending that adjustment plans were in course of consideration which would ensure all depositors their money. But the sombre group who had brought in the second coffin were not to be trifled with and several drew naked daggers from the bosoms of their kimonos, at the same time making an unmistakable gesture in the direction of Kadowaki.

At this stage, Kadowaki's elderly mother interceded with her son, pleading that he satisfy the depositors and save his life, and he accepted unconditionally the demands made on him and then and there affixed his private seal to the document in question signifying that he was reconciled to the relinquishment of his total private estate.

Whether this affair had a sequel in the law courts is not stated by the papers, except that Kadowaki was told that if he tried to secure legal assistance to recover his estate, or if he sought police help his life would not be worth another twenty-four hours purchase.

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Wednesday, Oct. 4.

11—11.30 a.m. Stock and Exchange Quotations, Selected London and New York Stock Quotations, Weather Report etc.

11.30 a.m. Chinese recorded programme.

12.30 p.m. European programme of Columbia and Regal records.

1 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

1.15 p.m. A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

1.30 p.m. Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m. Close Down.

4.30—7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

6—6.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.

7—10.30 p.m. European programme.

7—7.50 p.m.

Concert Items.

Octet—A Venetian Barcarolle—Serenade (arr. Willoughby)... J. H. Squire Celeste Octet. DX211

Song—Love, The Pedlar (Battersby and German)

Song—A Song of Thanksgiving (Thomson and Allitsen)...Doris Vane (Soprano) 9828

Harpsichord Solo—Pastorale Variations with Cadenza (Mozart) Solo:—Toccatina (Scarlatti) Mme. Regina Patumi-Casadesus DX53

Chorus—Golden Slumbers Kiss Your Eyes (arr. Dunhill)

Chorus—Ye Banks and Braes (arr. Dunhill).....Boys of St. Mary of the Angels Choir School. DB987

Violin Solo—Algerian Scene (Ketelbey).

Violin Solo—The Phantom Melody (Ketelbey)...Albert Sandler 9863

Song—My Sheepdog and I (Lumley and Thayer)

Song—With a Song (White)... Harold Williams (Baritone) DB1134

7.50—8 p.m. Organ Solos.

9.03—9.30 p.m. Selections by Albert Sandler and His Orchestra.

Play of Butterflies.

Fairy Tale...DB1131.

I Want Your Heart

Masquerade...DB924

Ben Aimes

Amoretten Tanz DB910.

9.30—10.30 p.m. Dance Music.

10.30 p.m. Close Down.

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ROYAL ROMANCE RUMOURS

New York.

Behind the tragic death of a famous Italian air "ace" of noble family lies the story of a former national hero—virtually exiled on account, it is believed, of a rumoured romance with a Royal Princess—who was trying to stage a spectacular "come back" which would restore him to favour in Rome.

The Marquis Francesco de Pinedo was killed when taking off at Floyd Bennett Field on a flight to Baghdad. He intended to capture for Italy the long-distance record held by MM. Codos and Rossi, of France.

His machine, too heavily loaded to rise, crashed into a fence and burst into flames. De Pinedo was burnt to death.

HIS RIVALRY WITH BALBO

His known rivalry with Gen. Balbo, the Italian Air Minister, who led the recent flight of the flying boat Armada, may also have contributed to his desire to return to the limelight. The general view here is that there was no hope of the 'plane being able to leave the ground.

Capt. H. V. D'Annunzio, son of the Italian poet-airman, and de Pinedo's chief backer, declared that his pride killed him. He had been disappointed by postponements so many times that he was determined to get off at any cost, and in his excitement forgot all the flying he had ever known.

Major Nelson Kelly, manager of Floyd Bennett Field, who has seen the start of practically every west to east Trans-atlantic flight said that de Pinedo load was far too great. All the onlookers agreed it was extraordinary that he kept his 'plane roaring along at full throttle after it was quite clear that its load would not allow it to rise.

SWERVE TO DISASTER

Lurching under its load of more than 1,000 gallons of petrol, the 'plane sped far along the runway and then managed to lift one wheel into the air, but it rolled back to earth, gave a sharp swerve, and ploughed into the soft ground at the side. With a superhuman effort the Marquis got it back on to the track as it dashed along at 100 miles per hour. A moment later the great machine swerved again, dashed into the fence, and burst into flames. The shrieks of the Marquis could be heard by the horrified spectators.

It is now believed that he caught his foot in trying to escape, and that the heat was so terrific that it was burned off instantly, causing him to fall and be burnt alive. The remains of one foot were found several feet nearer the 'plane than the charred body.

This appears to dispose of fantastic theories reported here from Rome of suicide due to disappointment that his romance with a Princess had been cut short. None of those well acquainted with Pinedo would seriously consider that this had any more direct bearing on yesterday's tragedy.

NATION'S HERO

Brilliant Career Ended In Eclipse

NAPLES,

The tragic death of the Marquis de Pinedo has deeply affected rich and poor in this city, whose son he was. Of the three men whose exploits filled their hearts with pride de Pinedo was considered the most unfortunate.

Field-Marshal Diaz, who led the Italian army in the latter part of the Great War, died full of honours. Gen. Nobile, whose second attempt to reach the North Pole raised him to the heights of fame throughout the country and then plunged him into disgrace, is exiled.

Born here of an old patrician family forty—three years ago, after entering the Italian Navy, where he served with distinction, de Pinedo joined the air force in 1916, winning his medals from British, French, and Italians alike.

De Pinedo in 1925 flew from Italy to Australia and Japan and back again on a small Savoia, and in 1927 he flew the South Atlantic, went up the American Continent and home by Newfoundland and the Azores.

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On his triumphant return to Rome in 1927, where Signor Mussolini met him at Ostia, he was the most popular man in Italy.

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Various reasons for his being deprived of that post and being practically exiled as Air Attache at Buenos Aires are given. The most romantic one is that his handsome face, courtly manners, and halo of heroism inspired the affections of a Royal princess.

MUSSOLINI AND MOSCOW

Unbridgeable Gap Over Political Theories

Paris, Sept. 25.

There is no essential contradiction in co-operation among countries internationally which differ violently in their domestic political forms, writes Signor Benito Mussolini, dictator of Italy, in an article published to-day by the Economic and Financial Agency, entitled "Italy and Russia."

—"Such co-operation is the best means of working for peace," writes Signor Mussolini. "As far as Russia is concerned, I am convinced that there is ample opportunity to help her out of her isolation and bring her into line in closer collaboration with the Western Powers for the common good of civilisation and peace."

Citing the importance of a nation of 164,000,000 people and the impossibility of failing to take such a nation into due account Signor Mussolini says that by according to the U.S.S.R. her due rights a double result will be reached: 1. to accord the Soviet Union her due place in the community of nations and 2. to give the Soviet Union a guarantee that the Western Powers are not seeking to isolate her.

No points of political contact exist between Italy and the U.S.S.R. "other than those of general friendship and more particularly of economic co-operation."

Concerning the regime in Russia, Signor Mussolini writes that "an unbridgeable gap separates us from the U.S.S.R. from the viewpoint of political theories but these interaal administration of a country in which Italy has no intention, now or ever, to interfere."

Declaring that the Italo-Soviet pact of non-aggression plays in Eastern Europe the same role that the Four Power Pact plays in Western Europe, the Italian Premier concludes that "an immense part of Europe was politically stabilised by the pact signed at Rome on September 3. Eastern Europe appears to be tranquil and it is now up to the West to take definite steps toward the same goal during he forthcoming international conferences Havas.

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WAR RENEWED IN SINKIANG

Fears For Safety Of Dr. Lo Wen Kan

Nanking, Sept. 24.

Despite the presence in Sinkiang of two Central Government good will ambassador civil war has broken out in that remote province with renewed fury, according to official dispatches received here

Fear is being felt for the safety of Dr. Lo Wen-kan, former Minister of Foreign Affairs, who flew to Tihwa, the provincial capital, three weeks ago with the intention of liquidating the internal strife and carrying on negotiations there with representatives of English and Russian interests.

Only fragmentary reports have been received but one states that the Eurasia air line, which resumed its Nanking-Berlin service a month ago, has suspended traffic again. It was by a 'plane of this line that Dr. Lo entered Sinkiang.

War has broken out against General Sheng Shih-tsai, Governor of the province, on two fronts reports indicate. Both General Sheng and General Liu Wen-lung, sent to the province by Nanking Commissioner, narrowly escaped assassination when their bodyguard mutinied a few days ago. They were on their way to the Sinkiang-Kansu border to meet General Ma Chung-yin, rebellious Mohammedan leader who had sued for peace. The mutiny was quelled and Generals Sheng and Liu returned to Tihwa, carrying as prisoners two of General Ma's representatives, Yao Chih-ping and Chang Ya-shao, who are believed to have incited the revolt.

In the south an abortive attempt has been made by rebellious Mohammedans to capture the strategic city of Kashgar. A force of 3,000 rebels is reported to have been annihilated by General Sheng's troops.

The alleged treachery of Ma Chung-yin comes as a surprise here as it was expected he would be willing to hear Dr. Lo's arbitration proposals. It was he who last spring aided General Sheng overturn the government of Governor Chin Ju-jen. This action was subsequently approved by Nanking which indicted General Chin for corruption and carrying out independent negotiations with the Soviet, operating from Russian Turkestan.—United Press.

A CONDEMNED MONK

Pardoned By Ceylon Governor

Colombo.—On orders from His Excellency the Governor, the Rev Polommaruwe Sri Dhammadinna Piyaratne Nayaka Thero, the Buddhist priest who was condemned to death in the Kataragama murder case, has been released from the Welikade Jail.

The execution of the sentence of death passed on the priest was to be carried out two days ago but on the decision of the Governor it was stayed, pending further investigations. This inquiry was, it is learned, carried out by the Attorney-General, and resulted in the decision to release the prisoner.

Of the five prisoners sentenced to death, two have now been released including the one released. The sentences of death on two other prisoners have been commuted to terms of imprisonment for twenty years. Only one prisoner was executed.

Official Intimation

The following communication on the subject was issued at the Secretariat:—

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased, after very careful consideration to pardon, and order the release of W. D. Pedris alias Hendrick and Polommaruwe Sri Dhammadinna Piyaratne Thero, who were two of the prisoners convicted of murder and sentenced to death by the Supreme Court.

WANTS TO FIGHT CARNERA

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New York—Raymond Impelletiere is so big that nobody will fight him—not even Carnera, apparently.

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He is 6ft. 7½in. tall.

"Impelletiere is just as heavy as Carnera," laments his manager, "but that is not the reason that the champion and others are avoiding him. He's as fast as a cat, and carries a knockout punch in either hand. Moreover, he's the cleverest boxer in the ring today."

Impelletiere has fought 12 professional fights in the last five years and won each one by a knockout. And now he wants to meet Carnera.

WAR, DISASTER, AND DISEASE

H. G. Wells Prophesying Again

"SHAPE OF THINGS TO COME"

(Special Air-Mail Service)

Mr. H. G. Wells has had a "dream" of what is going to happen in the next 150 years. It starts as a nightmare.

In his "Shape of Things to Come" (Hutchinson published today), he traces the history of the world from 1913 till 2116, and paints a picture of war again in Europe in 1940, leading to death and plague from gas and germ bombs, and the collapse of the world system we know to-day.

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Of the "haphazard private-profit capitalism of the twentieth century," he says, "how amazing, how fantastic, was that condition of affairs!! . . . It is as if one of the great Transatlantic liners of the period had careered across the ocean with its passenger decks and cabins brightly lit, its saloons and bars in full swing, while down below its essential machinery, manifestly with something going wrong with it, had no arrangements for illumination at all and was served by men (some of them masked) working without a foreman or any general directions, by the light of an occasional match or a treasured but worn out electric torch, or altogether in the dark, upon the great cranks and swiftly sliding shafts that beat and circled about them."

It is the period of "economic darkness," and war comes again in 1940. A trivial incident in the "whole crazy patchwork of Versailles dissolves into fighting—the joyless, frantic fighting of peoples full of hate, led blindly to no ends that anyone could foresee."

COMING OF THE GERMS

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DESERTED TOWNS

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Herbert Mundin tells about a sign he once saw in a London music hall where he was playing.

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The Film Weekly announces some of the best pictures of the year. "The Good Companions"—Forty Second Street, "Kid From Spain," The Sign of The Cross and "Little Giant."

Sir Guy Standing and his brother, Wyndham are appearing together in Paramount's Midnight Club which marks the first time their paths have crossed in twenty years of stage and screen experience.

WHAT THE STARS ARE DOING

Victor McLaglen, who has been filming in England, will return shortly to Hollywood to star with Edmund Lowe in "No More Women" for Paramount.

Paulette Goddard has been definitely engaged by Charlie Chaplin as his leading lady in his next comedy.

Lionel Barrymore is to appear for M.G.M. in "Hall of Justice" a drama written around the Los Angeles Gaol, which will be utilised for a setting. This should be rathe interesting.

Ruby Keeler (Mrs. Al Jolsson) has refused to wear a costume provided for her in Warner's "Footlight Parade" on the ground that it is indecerous. A More substantial garment is being made.

Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, who were recently involved in matrimonial troubles, have both been reconciled to their wives.

Sally Eilers in the Fox film, "Hold Me Tight," her latest co-starring feature with James Dunn in the leading masculine role. 1PB

WHAT THE STARS ARE WEARING

Even Marlene Dietrich, of trouser fame, succumbs to bunches and clusters and bouquets of flowers.

Almost cap-like in shape, her hat is worn at a perky angle, and is made of a solid pack of purple and orchid violets, with a towering velvet ribbon over protruding at the back.

An even farther cry from "trousers" is her dance-frock of orchid tulle and purple violets. This gown has a frilly-flowered shoulder treatment, and also noteworthy is the belt of violets and pansies that loops down even on to the tulle skirt.

Sari Maritza, proves that flowers do not need to be confined exclusively to summer nights. They can also go teaing or garden-partying. With a pale blue organdie frock Sari introduces Hollywoods newest novelty—"The Summer Muff."

Naturally, Hollywood is not forgetting an old favourite stand-by—the gown of flowered chiffon print. Adrienne Ames manages to look very gardenish, indeed, in her summer frock of California poppies, against a white background. This gown introduces the pleated frills which are taking the place of the more ordinary flared ones.

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NEW YORK—Combining the theatrical talents of London New York and Hollywood, Sidney R. Kent, president of Fox Film Corporation has announced the appointment of Charles B. Cochran, England's foremost theatrical producer, and Archibald Selwyn, well known American producer, as associate producers for Fox. Both Mr. Cochran and Mr. Selwyn will continue their activities in the theatre here and abroad in association with Fox.

Winfield Sheehan, vice president in charge of production for Fox, will come to New York for conferences with Mr. Selwyn after which they will proceed to London for an exchange of ideas with Mr. Cochran and to survey the field of Continental plays and players. The three will then go to Hollywood to observe actual production methods at the Fox studios. Both new associates will work in conjunction with R. A. Doran, Jr., Fox story head, in searching for new talent and plays.

"Our company was fortunate indeed in obtaining the affiliation of two such producers as Mr. Cochran and Mr. Selwyn," said Mr. Kent in making the announcement. "They will give immeasurable strength to the production department through their widespread activities in the entertainment field. The acquisition is in line with the policy of the company to increase the manpower of its various departments.

"During his forty years as an impresairio Mr. Cochran has demonstrated repeatedly his uncanny knack of knowing what the public wants and his advice and help on the production problems of our company will be of great value. Through his acquaintance with every prominent playwright, author, actor and director on the continent, Mr. Cochran will be able to feed into the company's production department many valuable literary properties as well as new acting and directorial talent.

"Mr. Selwyn, likewise, will bring to our production staff valuable asistance through his knoweldge of entertainment values gained in a long career with theatrical producer in New York."

Mr. Cochran is presenting now in London four of the outstanding hits of the season, two of which are American plays, "Dinner at Eight" and "Music in the Air" and two are English, "Wild December" with Diana Wynyard, and "Mother of Pearl" with Alice Delysia.

DIRECTOR ELLIOTT BACK IN HOLLYWOOD

Director Clyde Elliott, has returned to Hollywood after having spent 9 months in the wilds of Asia, where he filmed "Three Against Death" the latest of the Fox thrillers. He took back with him several thousand feet of films, and this is said to be the last of the Fox expeditions to return from Asia. This marks one of the most distant and the longest filming expeditions since the advent of sound in pictures. He was preceded to the screen capital a month ago by Marion Burns and Kane Richmond featured players, and James O. Spearing author of the story.

NEW BRITISH FILM DRIVE

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BRITISH STARS RETURN

For many months there has been a widely-held opinion amongst the more foresighted members of the film trade that England is shortly going to take its place as a production centre which will seriously challenge Hollywood's supremacy. Our own native industry has made almost incredible strides during the past year, and the political situation in Germany seems likely to add directly to our studio strength, both by reducing number of German pictures shown on foreign screens, and setting free directors and players of the first rank to work under contract to British producers.

Now comes the news of a vast new production drive in this country which should "repatriate" the leading British stars and technicians in Hollywood, and bring over other famous box-office names from America. A new production company has been formed, by arrangement with London Films and United Artists of America, which will operate along the same lines as the original United Artists Corporation and will begin production immediately on an ambitious programme. The head of the new company is none other than Douglas Fairbanks, who has made the project possible by his initiative, and is said to be taking out naturalisation papers, and is likely to settle down in this country permanently with his son, Douglas Fairbanks, junior.

NOTABLE NAMES

Charles Laughton, Leslie Howard, Ronald Colman, Clive Brook, Herbert Marshall, and possibly Charlie Chaplin are understood to have been invited to join this new organisation. Douglas Fairbanks and his son are themselves taking an active part in the promised schedule. Doug-senior's first picture, to go into production in October, will be "Exit Don Juan," under the direction of Alexander Korda, of London Films. Doug. junior will play the part of the young Czar Peter, opposite Elizabeth Beigner, in "Catherine of Russia."

The third production will co-star Fairbanks senior and junior, and is to be an adaptation of the old silent success, "Don Q. Son of Zorro, in which Fairbanks senior once played the dual role of father and son. Further plans include a version of "Ivanhoe," and there are many of us who will hope that the classic "Robin Hood" will not be forgotten.

It is significant that just at this juncture Winfield Sheehan, general manager of the Fox Film Company of America, and producer of "Cavalcade," who told his "boys", twelve months ago to keep their eyes on England, should have arrived on a visit to this country. He stated in an interview that he was watching the progress of British films with great interest.

NOEL GAY COMPOSES FOR BEBE DANIELS

"The Song You Gave Me" will be the song everyone will want to know when the new B.I.P. film "She Wanted Her Man" is completed and released.

Bebe Daniels, the famous Hollywood star who went to England expressly to star in this picture plays the part of a musical comedy actress and her romance in the story begins when a young man presents her with his first composition.

Noel Gay, whose song hits are as numerous as they are popular, has

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specially written this haunting number for Bebe and filmgoers who recollect her glorious voice in "Rio Rita" can imagine the treat that awaits them in "She Wanted Her Man."

Iris Ashley the well-known West End cabaret star, who plays an important part in the film, will also sing and Noel Gay is now preparing a number specially to suit her snappy style.

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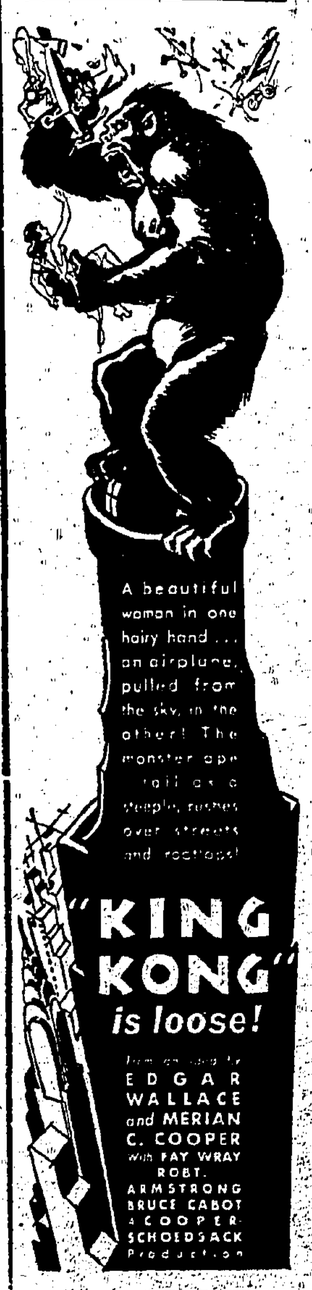

ST. FRANCIS HOTEL

FAMOUS FOR BEST COLD DRINKS

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

HONG KONG

King's.
"The Kid from Spain."
Queen's.
"All-Comedy Programme."
Central.
"Ladies of the Jury."
Oriental.
"A Fool's Bridal Night."

KOWLOON

Star.
"My Wife's Family."
Majestic.
"Happy Ever After."

Theatre Calender

QUEEN'S THEATRE

Rasputin and The Empress, Nuisance

KING'S

Kid From Spain
The Good Companions.
Orders Is Orders.

CENTRAL

King Kong

FORTHCOMING ATTRACTIONS

The Lost Chord.
The Midshipmaid.
I Loved You Wednesday.
Berkeley Square.
Disgraced
Pick Up.

RASPUTIN AND THE EMPRESS

Pomp and Ceremony Of Russian Court

The replica of a ceremony that no human eye will ever see again is one of the spectacular interludes in the picture that brings together on the screen for the first time John, Ethel, and Lionel Barrymore.

This is a reproduction of the celebration of the three-hundreth year of the Romanoff dynasty, staged exactly in every detail as it was in St. Petersburg before the revolution. It is one of the colourful highlights in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's pretentious film drama, "Rasputin and the Empress," coming to the Queen's Theatre tomorrow. Never will there be such rites again; the Russian royal family is dead—the empire wiped out in the red tide of revolution.

A REGAL AUDIENCE

In a huge set, reproduction in every detail of the throne room of the Winter Palace, Ethel Barrymore as the Czarina, Ralph Morgan as the Czar and little Tad Alexander as the Czarevitch receive in audience brilliantly uniformed and their ladies, all wearing exact replicas of authentic ceremonial regalia.

Then came another huge setting, a copy of the great cathedral with its gigantic mural paintings. The brilliant throng; then, as his people stand, the Czar alone kneels to pray for them. A perfect replica of the service, even to the traditional music, was staged. Hundreds of people appear in these two sequences. Williams, the opera baritone, sang the service with the massed choirs of Greek and Russian churches of Los Angeles. The clergy in their gorgeous robes, the great gold altar, the candelabra and the brilliant uniforms made it a kaleidoscopic spectacle rarely seen in the era of talking pictures.

"It was so impressive," remarked Ralph Morgan, "that even I, playing the Czar in the episode, got a thrill up and down my spine."

Ethel Barrymore has the important role of the Empress, John is seen as Prince Chegodieff and Lionel Barrymore enacts the Mad Monk in the new super-production, which was filmed under the direction of Richard Boleslavsky, author of "The Way of a Lancer," and famous for his work with the Moscow Art Theatre.

CAST LIKE "WHO'S WHO"

The cast of "Rasputin and the Empress" is believed to be one of the most elaborate ever assembled. As was the case in "Grand Hotel," every role, no matter how small, was filled by a recognized artist. Among those in prominent parts are Diana Wynyard, the English stage star; Tad Alexander, who scored as Norma Shearer's son in "Strange Interlude," C. Henry Gordon and Edward Arnold.

FOX NEWS

Some Fox Films which are to be shown at an early date:—

"I loved you Wednesday" "Berkeley Square."

"House of Connelly."

"Berkeley Square"

Leslie Howard makes this a personal triumph. It will certainly win him millions of friends. It will undoubtedly prove very successful at the box office as well as being considered one of the fine pictures of the year. There are many real

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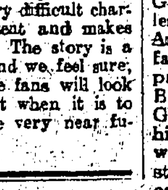

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A GAUMONT—BRITISH—PICTURE.

As outstanding an aggregation of screen personalities as has been seen in one film. Here are Warner Baxter, Elissa Landi, Victor Jory and Miriam Jordan, the featured players in the new Fox film, "I Loved You Wednesday." 3PA

laughs in this film. The romance progresses with an excellent element of suspense. Jesse Lasky, with the able direction of Frank Lloyd has made this an excellent production, with the atmospheric values in perfect accord with the subject. Heather Angel has a very difficult characterization to present and makes a great impression. The story is a very unusual one, and we feel sure, Hong Kong Theatre fans will look forward to seeing it when it is to be presented in the very near future.

"Orders Is Orders"

KING'S THEATRE

"Orders Is Orders" the British Gaumont Picture is a comedy burlesque. It is a brilliant skit on American Film Methods, illustrating farcical situations that arise when production unit takes charge of British Military barracks. James Gleason as director, makes a great hit in deliciously extravagant satire with Cyril Maude adding an outstandingly clever study as the susceptible colonel. Realistic background emphasised by humour of soldier life and charcteristic bustle of film unit on location makes it. Outstanding entertainment. Set-

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tings of the picture are carried out in authentic manner. Cyril Maude as the Colonel is about the highest spot in the film. It is to be shown at the King's Theatre very shortly.

"KING KONG"

Coming To Central Theatre

"King Kong" the film that took 2½ years to make is to be shown at the Central Theatre commencing Saturday 7th. If one is interested in photography and thrills then our advice is "Do Not Miss" this film. The few who were privileged to witness the private screening of this picture were convinced that it was undeniably clever, and showed remarkable talent on the parties who were responsible for this production. The story deals with a party of dare-devils who explore regions unknown to civilization, with the object of making a moving picture. They land on an Island inhabited by savages who are clad in gorilla skins, and performing one of their rituals, when the party comes upon them. They are anxious to obtain the white girl and offer six of their native maidens in exchange. They manage to kidnap Miss Fay Wray from the ship, and we see her bound to a strong pillar where she is offered to "Kong" otherwise known as "King Kong" so called since he is king of the jungle. We see the great brute carry her off, and protects her from the dinosaurs, and other prehistoric beasts of the jungle. It is very thrilling from start to finish and Miss Wray is responsible for some very fine acting. Robert Armstrong as the chief officer who eventually falls in love with the heroine renders valuable support. It is well worth seeing, so do not miss it at the Central on Saturday. This ran for 14 consecutive weeks in London at the Coliseum 408,000 people witness this film. In New York where the played at the R.K.O. Roxy Theatre it also had an extended run.

James Dunn and Sally Eilers are seen together again in the new Fox romance "Hold Me Tight" in which they portray the type of roles for which they have become famous as a team. 2PA

"LADIES OF THE JURY"

Great Comedy At Central Theatre

The world chuckled at Edna May Oliver in "Cimarron."

It probably will roar at her as a "Hold-out" juror in RKO-Radio Picture "Ladies of the Jury" now showing at the Central Theatre.

Named by critics as one of the best comediennes in pictures, Miss Oliver gives a new meaning to comedy in a special role.

"Ladies of the Jury" is the story of a typical mixed jury of men and women who can only agree to disagree.

With this as the theme, the film plunges into an amazing series of comic situations and reveals much of the inside workings of the American jury system.

The film tells the story of twelve different types of jurors who find themselves locked in a room for the purpose of deciding the fate of a pretty show girl accused of murder.

Fights, accusations and constant bickering revolve about the personality of Miss Oliver who finally wins the others to a verdict of not guilty by playing on their emotions and racial differences.

The film does not depend upon Miss Oliver alone to carry along the laughs. Director Lowell Sherman has provided a supporting cast which includes almost a scores of the cinema's most noted comedians. Among these are Ken Murray, Rosco Ates, Kitty Kelly, Kate Price, Cora Witherspoon and George Humbert.

FISH FIRM FAILS

Due To High Tax In Canton

The tax of $2.84 per picul on fish levied by the Canton Government was stated to be the cause of the failure of the Luen Lung Fook Keen Salt Fish Firm, of 1 and 2, Mui Fong Street, Victoria, when a petition for the winding up of the company was granted by the Chief Justice, Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Supreme Court Yesterday.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, represented the petitioner, Tong Pui-king, of Tsun Yuen Pawn Shop, Un Long, New Territories.

It was stated that the company was registered in May 1922, and was still trading though indebted to petitioner to the extent of $72,000.

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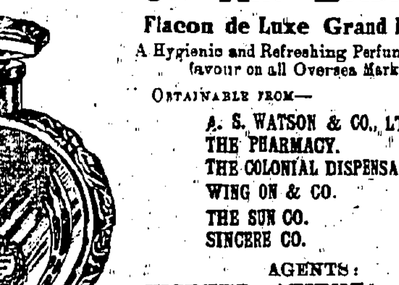

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ECHOES OF 1859

13.—Sir John Bowring's Praya Scheme Falls

It has been repeatedly suggested to us by several whose support and advice we place great value upon, that we should be magnanimous and allow the Bowring Praya to sleep in peace. We quite disagree with the doctrine thus laid down—we denounce it as absurd—the attempt to force the Praya upon this community, was most premeditated, determined, and dishonest. The object in view was simply to gratify an inordinate and insatiable thirst for vanity, and if its defeat be not a subject for sarcasm and ridicule, we should like to know what it is. If our strictures or our caricatures touched on private matters, we should lay ourselves open to censure, but they do not, and we intend to have our fling, and indulge our fancy and inclinations in celebrating the victory of "our side." Had matters been reversed and the Praya Bill passed, how much consideration would have been shown to vested rights, to the feelings or the convenience of private feelings, to the pressing wants of this Colony or to the reiterated wishes of the public? They would have all been disregarded with disdain, — the giddy height of vanity would have been attained and God knows the lengths the empty headed outcast would have gone to.

To a fallen foe we would never advocate the refusal of mercy or quarter, but when a vain vindictive man like Sir John Bowring is defeated, is that any proof that he has fallen? The cry of "ad misericodiam" has been so current an article wherever it would pass, that we look upon it as paper Cash—we will have nothing to do with it. We will not deal in it—it does not concern the question at all—the attempt to pass it off, is a warning to us to be on the look out. If our readers suppose that the wound inflicted upon Sir John's vanity by the defeat of the Praya question, be mortal to it, they are much mistaken—the irritation will give more venom to the sting if the wound be nursed by those who inflicted it.

As well might the debaters in the Houses of Parliament desert their cause and cease their labours because their leading opponent was sick, as that we should be expected at this particular juncture to stop giving vent to our feelings, and descanting on the fruits of the victory. We want to see the surplus revenue appropriated to the utilitarian requirements of the Colony. We have seen it diverted from this detestable Praya, but still the money lies idle or bearing interest at most.

In the same manner we have seen high crimes and misdemeanours brought home to officers of the local government, but is that any reason that we should cease to denounce them, until justice obtains some satisfaition? Surely not—we should be sadly wanting in our duty if we did—and we can assure our readers that nothing is farther from our intentions.

We repeat once for all that we have nothing to do with Sir John Bowring's sickness. We have no hesitation in stating that we feel more sympathy for him than he ever did, or ever would, for us. We have heard of people living for six months in a trance, others of an incredible time without food, but we never heard of a living creature who could exist "in extremis" for such a lengthened period as Sir John Bowring, without something specific being the matter.

MAN'S ORIGIN IN ASIA

Theories Of Eden Expounded By Dr. A. W. Grabau

The suggestion that the story of Adam and Eve turned out of the Garden of Eden might be based on the emergence of our remote anthropoid ancestors from the thinning forests of ancient days was made by Dr. A. W. Grabau chief paleontologist to the National University of Peking, in a lantern lecture on "Central Asia, cradle of the human race," to the Royal Asiatic Society (North China Branch), yesterday evening, before leaving for the north on his return from the International Geological Congress in Washington.

Dr. Grabau remarked that speculations as to the site of the cradle of the human race had been made ever since man had thought about his origin. Assuming man to be the derivative of a more primitive type of creature serving as ancestor both of man and the living anthropoids, there had been several theories as to the place where there first emerged an activity of human character. Supporters of the African theory pointed to the existence in that continent of many of the great apes, but that gave no clue as to why man should have arisen there. He was a great believer in the impelling force of environment. If there was no need for a change, none would take place. There must be something to force a creature into new lines of evolution, otherwise the force of environment would swamp any new tendency.

A Great World Change

In southern Central Asia, certain physical phenomena took place at a time when the stock from which man sprang was ripe to be forced into conformity with altered conditions. The Peking man was not the oldest type. He lived about one million years ago, at the beginning of the quaternary period, whereas the great world disturbance which produced the Alps and Himalayas took place perhaps 20 million years ago. Asia was then quite separate from Europe. Remains of the giant rhinoceros, found as far apart as Baluchistan and Mongolia, and dating back to before the great change, suggested that the intervening regions then were uniform, with ample food supplies, and there was no reason why they should not have been inhabited by some anthropoids.

Development towards the human type was not, as the African theorists held, because some highly developed creatures voluntarily left the forest, but because they were compelled to do so by the aridity of Tibet following the great change. Propanthropus was still very much a brute, but was adapting itself to walking erect, probably with the aid of branches from the forest. He thought they must consider the Java speman a descendant of this propanthropus, having crossed the land bridge which still joined the East Indies to the Asiatic mainland.

Man's First Implements

The first implements possibly developed from the accidental lodging of stone fragments in the splintered ends of sticks used for support in walking, while the use of fire perhaps had its origin during the period of the glacial sheets, when pre-humans may have been attracted towards forest blazes caused by lightning, and carried off burning boughs. When these ancestors of man crossed the Kuen Lun into a basin where there were no sharp stone fragments ready to hand, all having been rounded by water action, they had to take the further step of learning to shape stones by chipping. It was along the fringe of the desert towards Southern Siberia that they must look for traces of later primitive man, the absence of paleolithic remains in China itself being due to the cold and dust storms caused by the great glacial region to the north rendering the country uninhabitable.

Mentioning that one of the two skulls unearthed from the fissure in the ancient limestone near Peking was nearly twice as thick as the other, Dr. Grabau humorously suggested that this was possibly that of a female. The Peking man did his wooing with a club, and those with the thickest skulls survived.

Indian A. S. P. Retiring

MR. MOHINDER SINGH LEAVES NEXT WEEK

On October 14, Sirdar Sahib Mohinder Singh, Assistant Superintendent of Police will be returning to his homeland on a well-earned retirement.

He first joined the Force as a constable and thereafter rose to the rank of Inspector. Promotion to commissioned rank as Assistant Superintendent of Police in charge of the Sikh Contingent came at the end of 1928, as a result of the growing numbers of the Force, but more particularly in recognition of personal merit.

As President of the Khalsa Diwan, the chief Sikh religious and social organisation in Hongkong, he had been the means of regulating many difficult matters.

A glowing tribute was paid to Mr. Mohinder Singh, when at a gathering to congratulate him on his important appointment, a compatriot, Mr. Bishen Singh said: "To the Diwan your services have been so valuable that your name will always be remembered with great respect and gratitude."

NOT DANGEROUS DRIVING

Summons Against Mrs. Roffey Dismissed

Mr. Schofield yesterday dismissed a case in which Mrs. G. K. Roffey, wife of Mr. M. H. Roffey of the Hong Kong University, was summoned for dangerous driving.

The Magistrate said:—"After considering the evidence, I cannot help feeling that there is not enough to justify a conviction for dangerous driving."

"It is agreed on both sides," added Mr. Schofield "that the right hand wheels of defendant's car were four feet away from the parapet. At the speed it was going I feel satisfied that a collision could easily have been avoided, and the dangerous driving is so slight as not to justify a conviction. At the same time I cannot help feeling that the defendant could have kept a little more to the left of the road."

Sergeant Youe said at 12.20 p.m. on September 20 he was driving along Pokfulam Road on his motor cycle combination. About 100 yards East of Mt. Davis Road was a left hand bend with a bridge in the centre. He was about 20 feet from the West end of the bridge when he saw Mrs. Roffey's car coming towards him. It was on the wrong side of the road and left him about four feet in which to drive his cycle combination through. He applied his brakes and stopped, while defendant swerved to the other side of the road. The car missed his front wheel by about four feet.

Witness, in reply to Mrs. Roffey, said that he saw her car about twenty feet away as it was rounding the bend. It was possible to see cars coming round the bend across the ravine. He stopped defendant at the Dairy Farm hill, which was about one and a half miles away from the bridge, because when he turned round and followed he thought she had taken the Mt. Davis Road and so he took the wrong turning.

Mrs. Roffey's Evidence.

Mrs. Roffey said that she had been driving for the past twenty years and had never had a conviction On this occasion her husband was with her. The particular corner was wide at the beginning, and narrowed to 20 feet in the middle and was then wide again on the other side. She usually took it at about 17 to 18 miles an hour. Neither she nor her husband saw Sergeant Youe, which was rather extraordinary, and which led her to surmise that he must have been behind some bushes. She was driving in the middle of the road and not on the right, and pulled off to the left on seeing Sergeant Youe. Sergeant Youe applied his brakes, but at no time was there the slightest danger. Sergeant Youe did not sound his horn. She slowed down and looked round, and then proceeded.

In reply to Sergeant Youe, witness said that she slowed down and looked round because she saw that he was startled.

Mr. Roffey said he had never seen two vehicles attempt to pass one another on the bridge itself. It was a narrow and short bridge. He had seen other cars taking the bridge, and all were on the wrong side of the road, which meant the centre of the bridge with the right hand wheels over the middle. Every car had to take the bridge in this way.

NEW MINISTER TO CHINA

Impressions Of The Hon. A. G. M. Cadogan

London, Sept. 3.

The appointment of the Hon. A. G. M. Cadogan as British Minister to China, which has for several weeks been an open secret, was officially confirmed to-day writes Mr. O. M. Green in the *N. C. Daily News*.

I visited Mr. Cadogan to-day at his house at Chalfont St. Peter's, not far from Gerrard's Cross, and had a long conversation with him and Lady Theodosia Cadogan. Although he has never been in China Mr. Cadogan's long service with the British Delegation in Geneva has brought him into close touch with men of all nationalities, some of whom he will meet again in China. He got to know well Dr. W. W. Yen, now Chinese Ambassador in Moscow, and Dr. Alfred Sze, formerly Minister in London, now in Washington.

Much of the conversation was, of course, about the human side of life in China which is always of the special interest to those going to the Far East. Naturally Mr. Cadogan could not make any "statement of policy" as the phrase goes (the idea of such a thing, considered calmly, is slightly absurd) but when I asked him if I might send any message to the British community in China he replied laughingly "Say that in all hopefulness and humility I mean to do my best."

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Close Appreciation of Questions

To which as a personal impression I would add that he already appears to have a very close appreciation of the special questions which, as Minister, he will have to meet in China.

If further personal impressions may be allowed without impertinence, there is no doubt that Mr. and Lady Theodosia Cadogan will be well liked in China both by Chinese and foreigners. Mr. Cadogan is a little above middle height, an athletic figure, who looks a good deal younger than his age (not quite forty-nine). His manner is quite but very pleasant and sincere, and one might venture to say that he has a mind of his own. I have reason to believe that he has for some time been specially "saved up" for his fitness for China, when he might have been promoted elsewhere. He is a keen golfer, shot and rider, and was delighted to hear that there will be good scope for all these pursuits in China in his leisure hours.

Will Leave Next Year

Mr. Cadogan has to go abroad again and will then have to put in some time at the Foreign Office. It is unlikely that he and Lady Theodosia will be able to start for China before January. They take with them their eldest daughter, who has lately "come out" and their youngest who is 11 years old. Lady Theodosia was rather anxious about education for the latter daughter. I assured her that as with most other things China was able to provide of the best in this respect also.

CHIENTAO TRIALS

Two Hundred And Forty-Six Arraigned In Seoul

Tokyo—Under strict gendarmerie and police surveillance, the initial public hearing of the Chientao (a border area between Korea and Manchuria) Communist case was held at the Seoul District Court an array of 246 accused being brought before Presiding Judge Yamashita.

Besides sixteen counsel, the audience was limited to only fifty persons specially permitted to attend the trial. After formal evidence, which took over three hours, even these fifty were ordered to leave court.

The case dates from the round-up of over a thousand Korean outlaws two years ago, who, according to the official version, under the leadership of Chinese Communists, had been guilty at various places in the Chientao area for a year of various outrageous acts, including looting, murder and assault, aiming at the instigation of the local populace to an insurrection.

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PORTUGAL'S NATIONAL DAY

To-morrow, 5th instant, is the 23rd year of the Proclamation of Republic of Portugal.

The Portuguese Community, as in previous years, will enthusiastically celebrate the occasion.

To-night, at the Liga Portuguesa, 41, Peking Road, Kowloon, there will be a concert at which the most talented members of the community, will present a programme commencing at 9.30 p.m.

The President of the Liga, Mr. J. A. de Almeida, in the presence of Portuguese Consul General, will toast the future prosperity of their Mother County, after which a dance will be held.

On Thursday the 5th October, at 11 a.m., a reception will be held at the *Club Lusitano*, promoted by the four Portuguese Associations, which will be open to their friends.

At night, there will be a Ball at the same Institution.

FOR STREET SLEEPERS

St. Peter's Shelter To Open On December 1st

Arrangements are now well underway for the opening of the Shelter at St. Peter's Church, West Point on December 1st. The Executive Committee of the Street Sleepers Shelter Society have decided to make a nominal charge of two cents per person per night for bed and shelter, and the Shelter will be open daily from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. to admit the street sleepers, who must be out of the building at 7 a.m. the next morning. Hot tea and hot water will be provided.

There will be volunteer helpers on duty to register the street sleepers as they come in at 6 p.m., collect the nominal charge of two cents per person and see that everything is in order before they leave at 9 p.m. Some volunteer helpers will assist also the Medical Committee in rendering first aid when necessary. Each night there will be at least two helpers to take duty and a rota will be made out so that each person will not be called upon too often.

The Executive Committee of the Society will meet on Friday 6th. October at Cathedral Hall at 6.15.

A list of donations will be published after the Executive Committee Meeting. The Society aims at raising $6000.00 and looks to every section of the Colony in its appeal for donations. Small or large sum will be appreciated and may be forwarded to the following places:

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Rev. N. V. Halward, St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong.

DISORDER ROUND KAIFENG

Fascists, Communists and Famine

Kaifeng.

Fascism of a sort is being boosted here in Kaifeng, capital of Honan province. The "Honan People's Tribune," a leading newspaper under the egis of the provincial government, recently published transcripts of *yu lu* or talking records of Mussolini's speeches. The "Honan Evening Journal," owned by the Whong Pu students, at the same time published lengthy articles on the "New Road for Revolution." The people in the city, while by no means obviously enthusiastic, appear to take up the tolerant attitude of regarding the introduction of fascism as an interesting experiment.

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Hundreds and thousands of beggars are now crowding into the city and its environs. Most of them are women and children coming from the destitute areas in Huahsien and Changyuan in northern Honan, and Lanfeng and Kaocheng in eastern Honan. They may be seen everywhere in the main streets all day and night attempting to pick up some means of subsistence. According to the local Provincial Famine Relief Asociation, about twenty hsien or districts on either side of the Yellow River have been particularly badly affected by the recent floods. The number of people left homeless and in need of urgent relife in consequence is calculated as over 681,000.

Communist Revival

Mr. Chi Hsing-I, Educational Commissioner of the province, who has just returned from the south of Honan, told pressmen at a reception on his arrival that the Communist regions on the Honan-Hupeh-Anhwei bordar, has extended to cover about 200 li by 60 li and that the principal forces of the Reds have already been defeated by government troops. Now there remain only the small isolated groups in the mountain fastnesses. Mr. Chi also admitted that he did not think they could be cleared out for the present at least.

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The main force of the Reds are the 25th Red Army Corps which comprise the 73rd 74th and 75th Divisions all under the command of Gen. Wu Okuang. Recently they occupied the Paiyunshan or White Cloud Mountains which they have made their stronghold.

Military Movements

The large township of Husitien, in Huaiyang, in eastern Honan, was captured by the Reds numbering several thousands under the leadership of Yang Li-kung, Chang Hsueh-lang and Cheng Tao-yun on September 6—More than 3,000 people were either taken as captives or killed by them and the military authorities immediately despatched troops to recapture the town. Communists are said to be directing the activities of these bandits and at the time of writing the capital of Luyihsien was captured by them and its magistrates taken away to bandit headquarters.

Two of the competitors in the Girls' Beach Pyjamas Parade at the M.C.L. Gala.
Photo by Leica.

KING AT BRAEMAR

After Five Years

ALL-NIGHT TREK TO THE GAMES PARK

Bulletin, Sept. 8.

After five years absence the King came to the Braemar Gathering last month.

Accompanied by the Queen, the Duke and Duchess of York and Princess Elizabeth, he drove to the Princess Royal Park, where the games are held.

As the open carriage, drawn by two greys, entered the ground the thousands of spectators, many of whom had been in their places since early morning, cheered wildly.

Hats, bonnets, scarves, and flags hurtled in the air while the surrounding hills gave back the cheers.

Their Majesties alighted from their carriage at the crimson-draped pavilion where they were received by the Marquis of Aberdeen.

Accompanying the royal party were the Prime Minister and the Archbishop of Canterbury.

It was a record gathering, the crowd out-numbering the previous year's.

From Aberdeen to Braemar there was not a room to be had the previous night. Many latecomers were forced to camp out for the night in the cars in the glen roads which lead to Braemar.

By car, bus, bicycle, and on foot the great army poured into Braemar for two days.

Fortunately the mist which hung low on the hills veiling the faunt pines did not turn to rain and family parties which had been on the move since dawn settled down to boil kettles and unpack picnic baskets.

MORE THAN EPSOM

In the early morning I came upon four tired Indian students who had spent the night walking through the wild Larig Ghru from Speyside.

The only concourse comparable to the Braemar Gathering is Derby Day, and at Epsom so at Braemar—gypsies in their caravans, strange men drawing music out of a carpenter's saw, soothsayers from the East, a King and Queen in a royal enclosure—but above all at Braemar there is the constant music of the pipes, the air of kilted men, the pale gleam of a northern sun on Lochaber axes and on pikes, the background of the incomparable hills, the strange unrest that comes with the revival of an old glory.

Shortly before the royal party arrived from Balmoral Prince and Princess Arthur of Connaught drove up to the pavilion, both wearing the Duff tartan.

Then far down in the village came a burst of cheering, and a magnificent grey with a scarlet-clad outrider caracolled into the circle of smooth shaven grass. Immediately behind it came the open carriage drawn by two grey horses and driven by a scarlet-coated coachman.

BRONZED AND SMILING

Bronzed and smiling, the King, wearing the Royal Stewarts—in his balmoral, waved his acknowledgements.

Beside him sat Princess Elizabeth, an eager little figure in a kilt, yellow jersey, and navy blue beret.

The Queen was dressed in a long coat of rose beige collared with summer ermine. Her toque of rose beige in floral design had a soft silver veil, and she wore pearl ornaments.

The Duchess of York, as on previous occasions at Braemar, wore the Hunting Stewart kilt, while the Duke of York was dressed in the Royal Stewart kilt.

Her Majesty was attended by her maid of honour, the Hon. Jean Bruce, who wore an electra blue ensemble and a blue fox fur.

When the King and Queen had been received by Lord Aberdeen, the Prime Minister, looking fit and rested after his brief holiday, entered the pavilion with the Archbishop of Canterbury, who is at present a guest at Balmoral.

While the Queen and other members of the royal party stood chatting inside the pavillion, little Princess Elizabeth led her grandfather to the steps so that he should not miss the Highland dancing competition, and together they watched it closely.

The King was obviously delighted with the pleasure of his little granddaughter.

The great moment at Braemar is when the clansmen march past. This year, because the King was there to take the salute himself, the event was all the more thrilling.

First, by royal precedent, came the Balmoral Highlanders, the King's men led by Major Mackenzie, His Majesty's Commissioner, stalwart bearded men from the hills bearing their Lochaber axes.

In their van came the oldest of the clansmen, Charlie Mackintosh, a veteran of Highlanders since Queen Victoria first came to Deeside.

Then came the Duff Highlanders, wearing in their bonnets the holly badge of their clan, and as His Majesty took their salute he turned to smile at Princess Arthur of Connaught, who is Duchess of Fife and Chieftainess of the clan.

Last came the Farquharsons, a compact body of Highlanders marching with drawn claymores, and led by the Chief of the clan, Colonel Farquharson of Invercauld, a close friend of the King, who received a special salute from His Majesty as he swung with his men past the larch-covered pavilion.

HOW IT WAS DONE

For an hour and a quarter their Majesties remained watching with the keenest interest. When it came to the Cumberland wrestling event they laughed heartily over the antics of the wrestlers, and Princess Elizabeth caused much amusement by demonstrating to her father how it was done.

Several presentations were made by Lord Claud Hamilton, the King's Equerry, including Lord and Lady Dunedin, Major-General Sir James Burnett and Lady Burnett of Leys, Sir Robert and Lady Williams, Dr. Park, the Marquis and Marchioness of Huntly, Mr. T. B. Hoare, now minister of the Netherlands, Mr. T. Cantwell, private secretary to Prince Arthur of Connaught, and Colonel Messel.

WOMAN'S PART IN A ROBBERY

Arrest For Year-Old Crime

The case in which a Chinese woman named Ah See, alias Ng See, is charged in connection with a robbery which was committed as far back as August 13, 1932, was before Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday, and, after evidence had been given by the prosecution, the case was remanded until this afternoon.

Detective-Inspector Nolloth was in charge of the case for the prosecution, addressing the Court, said:—

This case your Worship was previously heard before you in August and October, 1932, when two men were convicted at the September and November Criminal Sessions.

The facts are as follows:—

No. 174, Wanchai Road, 1st floor, when the robbery took place, consisted of a sitting room, two cubicles and a kitchen the floor being occupied by a building contractor named Chan Chee, his concubine named Pun Yuet Hing and family.

At about 12.30 p.m. on August 13, last, there were present on the floor, Pun Yuet Hing, her two sons and some other people. About that time, there was a knock at the door and this was followed by a woman's voice calling "Ah Chan."

Chan Hay, the eldest son, went to answer the call and when he opened the door a little to see who was there, the defendant is alleged to have placed her shoulder between the door to push it open and at the same time four men came from behind her and broke into the house. These men were armed with two knives and a revolver.

The inmates of the flat were bound and gagged and the intruders then went on to ransack the place, finally decamping with money and jewellery to the value of $800.80.

On information received on September 26, last, the defendant was arrested on the third floor of 353, Reclamation Street. The following day she was picked out in an identification parade by three witnesses as the woman who knocked at the door on August 13, 1932.

Evidence was given by the complainant and some of the people who were on the floor at the time of the alleged incident after which the case was remanded until today.

PRINCIPALITY OF WALES

Dr. V. Thomas Addresses Rotarians

EARLY WALES AND TO-DAY'S COALFIELDS

An interesting and entertaining address was given at the Rotary Club yesterday on "The Principality of Wales" by Dr. Vaughan Thomas, M.A., who traced the history of Wales from the earliest days down to the present time.

Mr. T. B. Wilson was in the Chair and in the course of several announcements expressed regret that Mr. Y. Yakamoto of the N.Y.K. was resigning from the Club on being transferred to Shanghai.

Dr. Thomas in the course of his speech, said that Wales still bore the mark of Roman occupation, which was visible in the language of the people, as the Welsh language contained a number of words of Latin origin. He said that in one village he found natives with marked Roman noses. Prior to the reign of Queen Elizabeth, Wales was in much closer contact with Europe than she had been since, due to the spiritual link with the Romans.

Speaking of the Norman conquest Dr. Thomas said that the Norman influence in Wales was very great indeed and nothing, could be more delightful than to visit the wonderful Norman castles to be found all over the country. Before the days of the Normans there was a period in Wales called the age of the Saints, and there was a spot in the Vale of Glamorgan where scholastics and ecclesiatics of the ancient days gathered. Students attended from all over Britain and even from the Continent.

Following the Norman Conquest, there was a time called the age of the Princes. Welshmen were very fond of tribal warfare, they had great leaders and the country was divided into three or four large areas which still retained their ancient names.

Mediaeval days in Wales had also left their mark and careful excavation had revealed many secrets of that time. Where the last Prince of a line had fallen in battle the spot was marked by a humble monument, unlike the statue to Wallace in Scotland. In Wales there was not the same value placed upon past leaders as in other countries.

Dr. Thomas said that some of the difficult names encountered in Wales were really poetical phrases. The Welsh nation throughout the centuries had kept its ancient art and culture alive, and even today there were institutions in the country such as the Eisteddfod which carried on that work.

A great series of religious movements swept the country from the 17th. century onwards, culminating in the establishment of many religious bodies.

In the 19th Century people in North Middlesborough and in Yorkshire suddenly found a new interest in Wales namely the newly discovered iron and coal fields. In 180 years or so, Glamorgan, the land of the Norman baron and Norman landowner; of the yeoman and the small farmer, had become a hive of coal and iron industries, as well as of copper smelting and tin-plating. What were little orchards sixty years ago were now slag heaps, strewn with the rubbish of the smelting works.

The people of Wales struggled hard for an education system and they had built up from the elementary schools University College at Cardiff.

The speaker concluded by quoting examples of Welsh humour, arising out of the difficulty of translating the idioms of the language into English and *vice versa*. He emphasized the fact that if one wanted to learn one's own language the best thing one could do was to learn a foreign language. He invited the audience to read the literature of England and Wales, particularly the old literature and hinted that possibly some undiscovered gems might be found.

The Rev. E. G. Powell proposed a vote of thanks to the speaker on behalf of the Club.

His Holiness the Pope has sent a gold medal and diploma as a token of gratitude to Rev. Fr. Spada for his work on the Italian Province especially for his labours connected with St. Teresa's Church, Kowloon.

Sentence of six months hard labour, failing a fine of $500 was imposed on a Chinese seaman who admitted possession of an automatic pistol and 50 rounds of ammunition. Defendant said he bought the arms in Germany.

"LOUD TALKING" FOREIGNERS

They Do Little, Says Lord Marley

Shanghai, Sept. 30.

Education is more needed now than ever before, because the people of the world must be taught how to make use of democracy, how to make use of thier leisure moments, and to realise the necessity of world peace, said Lord Marley in the course of a speech given before the American Returned Students Association, at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. in Route Montigny.

In the opinion of Lord Marley, the so-called democracy of to-day is a complete sham everywhere in the world, and expecially in China, where over three-fourths of the population do not even have enough to eat to keep alive. In the West, he said, where the process of industrialisation has reached a high degree of efficiency the common people's lot is much better and they have leisure moments, although they are not yet well educated enough to know how to make use of their leisure.

ADVANTAGE WITH CHINA

Lord Marley expressed doubt as to whether the teachings of the West had done or could do much good to China. He said probably it was much ahead of China in social sciences and mechanical appliances, but China had the advantage of the experiences of the West and must learn to avoid these miseries. It was up to the Western-educated Chinese to make use of what they had learned and so guide their country that it would escape the evils of the process of industrialisation which is bound to develop rapidly in China.

Commenting on his impressions after what he had seen and heard during his short stay in China, particularly in Shanghai, Lord Marley said that such an organisation as the American Returned Students Association should form an information association for the benefit of the numerous foreign visitors who come to China every year. "I would submit to you as a consideration," he said, "that your Association should establish some organ to furnish information about your activities, excursions and other activities for the benefit of the foreign visitors to tell them that Shanghai belongs to the three and quarter millions of Chinese and not the small body of foreigners who talk so loudly and do so little for your city."

Lord Marley said that the intelligent foreigner would [illegible]

Beach Pyjamas and Toys at the M.C.L. Fete.
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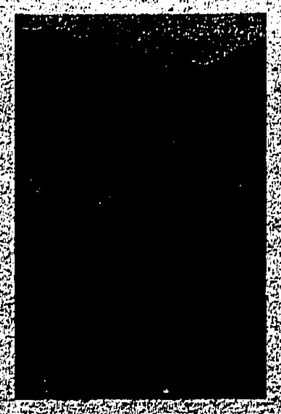

Tea time at the M.C.L. Gala which was held in Repulse Bay last week.
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NOTICE.

THE Acting Consul General for Portugal and the Portuguese Community in Hongkong will be AT HOME to friends at the Club Lusitano to-morrow the 5th of October from 11.30 to 12.30 p.m.

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THE HONGKONG REEL CLUB.

MONDAY the 9th inst., being a Public Holiday the Reel Club will hold a practice at the Helena May Institute on Friday, 6th inst. at 5.30 p.m.

D. L. Prophet,
Secretary.

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ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.

NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Club will be held at the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. on Tuesday the 24th day of October, 1933 at 5.30 p.m. to consider and (if thought fit) to pass the following Resolution:—

That the Committee be authorised to proceed with construction of a new Club house and swimming-pool at Fanling on the lines of the provisional plans which have been open to inspection to Members at the Club's office during the past three weeks.

That the Committee be authorised to expend upon the construction of the Club house and swimming pool, and on the furnishing of the Club house a sum not exceeding $350,000.

That the Committee be authorised to borrow funds for the above purpose from time to time up to the total of $300,000 at a rate of interest not exceeding 5 per cent per annum to be secured by the issue of Debentures charged upon the Club's assets and undertaking

That the subscriptions of playing members and subscribers fixed by the Resolution of the 15th. December, 1930 be increased by $3.00 a month as from the 31st December, 1933 and that the Committee are authorised to increase the subscriptions of ladies, other than lady relatives, by $1.0. a month from the same date.

Dated the 3rd day of October, 1933.

By Order of the Committee,
E. D. MATTHEWS, Lt. Col.,
Secretary, R.H.K.G.C.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

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SUPPRESSION OF DISORDER

In times of crisis and difficulty a government cannot be expected to deal leniently towards those who plot its overthrow. The Canton Authorities have been reticent about the recent Blue Shirt plot, but their counter-measures were effective and ruthless, some nine offenders, at least, evidently having faced the firing squad. It is difficult to see how a comparatively small group of conspirators could have overthrown a well established government backed by reliable troops, and having strong allies in the leaders of the Kwangsi Government, but the history of conspirators, in all ages and places, is at least a lesson in the extreme optimism of the human mind. Claim has also been made by General Miao Pei Nan, Chief of Staff of the Canton First Group Army, that the cause of peace has been advanced in the south, bandit gangs having been reduced to negligible quantities in Kwangtung, though they are still a menace to the civil population on the Kwangsi-Hunan border.

The rival government at Nanking also seems to have the situation in North China fairly well in hand. Whether General Fang Chen Wu is to be regarded as a genuine patriot, leading a last hope both against the invaders of his country, and the Government that has betrayed the national cause, or whether he is merely an adventurer trying to re-open the conflict between China and Japan, so that he may himself fish in troubled waters, the forces supporting him appear to have collapsed and to be on the point of elimination. The danger that Fang Chan Wu's adventure would be used as a pretext by the Japanese Government for further aggression, including the occupation of Peiping, has also been averted. Nor does there appear to be much foundation in the report that Mr. Wang Ching Wei has quarrelled with "The Soong Dynasty," and weakened the prestige of the Nanking Government by his resignation. On the contrary Mr. Wang's meetings with General Huang Fu, the Sino-Japanese mediator, and governor of the Peiping area, appear to have passed off amicably.

The position between the responsible governments in China is now one of equilibrium, though what scientists would call unstable equilibrium. Recriminations over the postponement of the Kuomintang National Congress, the alleged rapprochment with Japan, and the United States Wheat and Cotton Loan continue with unabated vigour, and their exact significance is hard to guage. The great question is whether a real effort will at last be made to suppress the Red movement in Kiangsi and Fukien. No one has as yet assessed the strength, or even the nature, of the Red movement. It gives the appearance of sporadic agrarian uprisings, mainly against the landowning class, and at the instigation of a small nucleus of more or less genuine communists, whose headquarters move from place to place. There are big areas under Red control, and many districts change hands perpetually between Red and Government troops. There are desertions of whole regiments in either direction according to the ebb and flow of the fortune of war. It is significant, however, that despite desperate efforts by the Reds to force their way to the coast, at Foochow and Swatow these attempts have invariably been foiled by the local garrisons. The advantages of access to the sea are so great, and the efforts made so persistent, that failure in this direction discounts reports of the strength, efficiency and enthusiasm of the Red movement.

According to a report sponsored by Reuter, Chiang Kai Shek is concentrating an Army of 200,000 men in northern Kiangsi, and is building three aerodromes from which twenty big war-planes will operate against the Reds. These are the preparations, and suggest a close occupation of the Red country and a systematic destruction of the rebel forces. Such at least is the hope, and not that both Chiang Kai Shek and the Governments of the Southern Provinces are getting their respective factories in order before embarking on another civil war.

OBITUARY

Lady Elizabeth Butler

PAINTER AND AUTHORESS

London, October 3.

The death has occurred of Lady Elizabeth Butler, the well-known painter.—Reuter.

[Lady Butler, who was born in Lausanne, was the daughter of the late Mr. T. J. Thompson and sister of the late Mrs. Meynell, the well-known poet and essayist. She married in 1877 the late Lieut.-General Sir William Francis Butler who died in 1910, and spent some years in Florence and Rome studying art. In 1873 she first exhibited her paintings in the Royal Academy to be followed by many in the following years. She was also the authoress of several publications, the best known of which were: "Letters from the Holy Land" and "From Sketchbook and Diary."]

ANOTHER TRADE AGREEMENT

London, Oct 2.

The text is issued of the Anglo-Finnish Commercial Agreement signed at Helsingfors last Friday. The agreement comes into force three days after the exchange of ratifications.

Finland imports about £18,000,000 worth of goods annually, of which at present between two and three millions are taken from Britain. Britain on the other hand buys about £10,000,000 worth of goods annually from Finland.

The present treaty runs for three years and is terminable at six months' notice. It assures to Finland for the period of the agreement, a continuance of the most-favoured-nation treatment together with an additional concession on Finland specialities, whereby the present ten per cent. duty on birch and plywood is consolidated and the duty on wooden sewing reels is reduced from 20 per cent. to 15 per cent.

Finland also will reserve a suitable share of any quotas introduced to regulate entry into Britain of agricultural produce.

Regarding butter the minimum figure of 198,000 cwts. a year which represents a reduction of ten per cent. is guaranteed to Finland.

On the other side of the agreement Finland has conceded extensive reductions in customs duties to a long schedule of British products notably woollens, jute, linen, tin plates, galvanised sheets, small automobiles, tyres, whiskey, gin, gramophones and records.

Among other goods accorded similar benefits are salted herrings, the duty on which for the first year has been reduced from two marks to half mark per kilo for a fixed quantity. After the first year the duty will be raised to one mark per kilo and the quantity of Herrings taken increased.

Fixation of the existing duty has been agreed to regarding various goods, including certain colonial products such as bananas and tea and freedom of duty guaranteed in the case of coal and coke.

Regarding coal, Britain nine years ago provided 95 per cent. of coal for the Finnish market, but the figure dropped as low as 23 per cent. in 1931.

Finland now agrees to take not less than 75 per cent. of her coal from Britain, which should amount to increase of 175,000 tons on last year's figures and 700,000 over that of 1931.

Regarding coke, a British trade delegation is going to Finland shortly for a discussion on coke imports. A purchase agreement, similar to that negotiated in the recent treaty with Denmark, has also been included affecting *inter alia*, wheat, flour, creosote, jute and salt, and arrangements also have been started to increase the amount bought of British iron, steel, motor cars and commercial vehicles.—*British Wireless.*

DISARMAMENT PROBLEM

France's Latest Offer

Paris, Oct. 3.

Reuter is authoritatively informed that France is prepared to reduce the number of her effectives and the term of military service.

This latter concession will only be made by France, provided a similar type of service is accepted by other countries, including Germany.

It is, however, stated that there is nothing in the communication made by M. Paul Boncour to Sir John Simon concerning France's disarmament policy to justify the figures published in the *Echo de Paris*.

The *Echo de Paris* asserted that France had indicated willingness to reduce her effectives by 300,000 men and to reduce the term of service to eight months.—*Reuter.*

If Gossip We Must

BY "REGULAR"

IF GOSSIP WE MUST

The past week turned out to be a rather quiet one. Some people might put it down to the disagreeable weather, but whatever it was, we simply cannot afford to waste time like that. It is a well-known fact that "here in Hong Kong" we have any number of pretty girls, all of whom are ready to make life a little brighter for all concerned, but if the mere man will sit back in arm-chairs that are so plentiful in the Clubs, and casually remark that it is "too damned wet to do anything," what is going to happen to all the dresses these pretty girls are so anxious to show?

AT "MOUNTAIN LODGE"

I was one of the privileged ones who was at "Mountain Lodge" last Saturday when His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel gave a "picnic tea-party" to our Scouts and Guides. It was a very enjoyable affair and the way the little Cubs and Brownies entered into the spirit of the thing made one longed to be young again!

Sir William looked very well in a navy blue double-breasted jacket and white flannels. He wore a grey hat and I had not seen him looking so young for some time. Lady Peel favoured a navy blue and white morocain dress with a tight-fitting hat to match, and she was also looking very well.

Capt. Walter, the charming A.D.C. and Mr. Pilcher, Private Secretary, were both very busy, making the youngsters feel at home. That they enjoyed themselves, could be judged by the cheerful way they went about things.

H. E. the Governor addressing the Scouts and Guides on Saturday.
Photo by Leica.

Walking further along the beach, I saw Major-General and Mrs. Borrett, and with them were the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, the Hon. Mr. C. Gordon Mackie, the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Messrs. L. N. Murphy, S. H. Dodwell and Tang Shiu Kin. This party appeared to be very cheerful until some of them were asked to act as judges in the beach pyjamas parade!

Mrs. J. H. Taggart was also there, as were Miss R. Hancock and the Misses Soares. I saw one lady in three different suits of beach pyjamas during the afternoon. I do not know how she managed to keep so cool and fresh when the other people were feeling the heat rather badly, but that, I suppose, is one of the few beauty secrets which is a real secret!

OUR A.D.C.

With the approach of the winter, our thoughts not unnaturally turn to theatricals and in the hope of finding out what the Amateur Dramatic Club are planning to give us this year, I went to see Mr. E. Grossman, one of the most active members of the Club. He told me that most of the committee were away on leave at the present but would be returning in November and would be bringing with them some of the latest plays from London.

Mr. Grossman sounded a rather pessimistic note when asked about a suitable theatre. The old City Hall was an admirable place for them, for not only did they stage their plays there, but they were also able to use it for rehearsals.

Mr. Grossman said that there was some complaint about the acoustics in the King's Theatre, for when they were there last winter, the poor girls were bellowing at the top of their voices and when they came out, some kind soul told them they could not be heard in certain parts of the house!

THE "HATLESS BRIGADE"

A year or two ago when the young men about town discarded their hats, older people shook their heads sorrowfully, saying "that's not done." Youth, however, scorned all criticism, and the fashion spread slowly but surely.

Hong Kong is an odd place. New styles and fashions are regarded with reserve and suspicion, but suddenly without any warning, like a Baby Austin coming round one of the Peak bends, everybody comes out of his shell and placidly follows the fashion.

To revert to the subject of the "hatless brigade." This particular fashion has now got a firm hold. The reason is, perhaps, that the men feel here at last, is a fashion which the ladies cannot follow and consequently it will be one belonging exclusively to themselves. For a time it looked as though this would be the case but "man proposes . . . ." and soon the ladies adopted the fashion, for reasons of both beauty and comfort.

That, however, is by the way. Going about without a hat is so convenient, but what is more important still, it is economical (there is no danger of losing it in a restaurant!) Many older men are adopting the fashion (in the pious hope that sunshine, like rain, makes the hair grow. Ibid.) The most recent recruit to the "Hatless Brigade" is none other than the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., who was seen walking along Queen's Road Central one morning last week without a hat and looking very young. We take off our hats to him!

Happy Guides at "Mountain Lodge."
Photo by Leica.

BEAUTY CONTEST.

We have been told, more than once, that this is an incredulous age, that we moderns will believe nothing that is not handed to us on a plate, vouched for by an affidavit, and registered with the Inspector General of Police as first-class believing matter.

Many of you must have blinked the other day with astonishment when it was announced that we are going to have a beauty contest in Hongkong! Ringside seats, I hear, have been all booked up and the hotels and restaurants are arranging special "Beauty Contest Dinners." We are not yet told whether the beauty parade will be in bathing costumes or whether it will be in more feminine attire, but even if it is to be run on the lines of the recent Marlene Dietrich competition, we will cling to our ringside tickets.

Of course there is plenty of enthusiasm about the coming show and the Chinese version of "Miss Hongkong" will have to be very pretty indeed. In a recent beauty competition, the judge received nineteen critical and somewhat abusive letters after the event. We understand exactly twenty girls entered the competition! Now then, any lion-hearted applicants for the judge's job?

Some of the Scouts who were entertained by His Excellency and Lady Peel last Saturday.
Photo by Leica.

REPULSE BAY

Repulse Bay was the scene of much merriment last week when the Ministering Children's League held their annual beach gala. The kiddies, were, of course in their element, but the grown-ups also had a great time. I was out there fairly early, and after dressing myself up, "beach fashion" (a pair of trunks and sun glasses, complete with camera), I strolled along the sands and took stock of what was going on, who was there, and what they were doing.

Mrs. E. D. C. Wolfe and Mrs. H. R. Butters were both extremely busy, for while the former is the president of the M.C.L., the latter is the hon. secretary, so one can imagine what a lot they had to do. Miss Woo, the popular headmistress of St. Paul's Girls' College was there with a party of charming Chinese ladies, while Mrs. Ho Leung and Mrs. J. D. Bush were also present.

NEWS SUMMARY

Hong Kong Stock Exchange Official report and other commercial and financial news appears on Pages 12 and 13.

The Shanghai v. Victoria lawn bowls match will be played this afternoon. The match at the Club de Recreio has been cancelled. Page 10.

The H.K.I.A.S.A. will meet a Chinese Swimming team at the Y.M.C.A. bath to-night. Page 10.

A case against Mrs. Rolfey, wife of Mr. Rolfey of the University for dangerous driving was dismissed by Mr. Schofield. Page 7.

Our Kowloon correspondent writes of the popularity of hockey in Kowloon.

A woman was remanded at Central Magistracy yesterday charged with complicity in an armed robbery which took place in August, 1932. Page 11.

At yesterday's meeting of the Rotary Club Mr. Vaughan Thomas gave a most interesting address on Wales, tracing the history of that country from earliest times down to to-day. Page 7.

St. Peters Church is to be opened as a refuge for street-sleepers on December 1st. Funds for fitting out the church for this purpose, and other expenses, are asked for from the public. Page 7.

The draw for the open mixed doubles tennis championship of the Colony will be found on Page 11.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Over an inch of rain was registered at the Royal Observatory in the twenty-four hours ended at 10 a.m. yesterday.

For allowing his dog out in Gresham Road without a muzzle, Mr. F. M. L. Soares was fined $8 at the Kowloon Magistracy.

The Acting Consul-General for Portugal and the Portuguese community in Hongkong will be at Home to friends at the Club Lusitano to-morrow from 11.30 to 12.30 p.m.

The marriage is announced to take place shortly of Mr. John Turnbull Cook, of 213, Prince Edward Road, and Miss Margaret Daphne Warnes, Italian Convent, 38, Caine Road.

Captain D. B. Mitchell, R.A., and Lieut. H. F. G. Chauvin, R.A., who will be arriving in the Colony later in the year, are to be attached to an anti-aircraft battery which is to be Stationed at Tuenmun. Twenty-four men who are to be attached to the existing anti-aircraft section arrive here on the troopship Neuralia on October 27.

Lieut-Comdr. G. H. Gandy R.N. (retired) will read a paper on "Surveying and Typographical Surveying," at the Engineers' Institution on Thursday, October 12, at 5.45 p.m.

The ladies on the Committee of the Hong Kong International Women's Club are holding a meeting in the club rooms to-day, October 4th to discuss business and would be glad if the members will try and be present to offer suggestions. Tea will be served and they wish to take this opportunity to extend this invitation to all members.

In connection with the preparation for the Rose Room Opening Gala on Saturday, October 7th, the Management of the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd. advise that during the present week there will be no dinner dances at the Peninsula Hotel and that no dinner dance will take place at the Repulse Bay Hotel on October 7th. It is also intimated that for the convenience of patrons attending the Rose Room Gala that arrangements have been made for special ferries to leave Kowloon for Hongkong at 9.15 Sunday 8th October at 9.45 and 9.45 a.m.

HAS ROOSEVELT'S APPEAL FAILED?

RUMOUR GEN. JOHNSON MAY RETIRE

Film Actors Protest Against Salary Control Board

Washington, October 3.

Despite Mr. Roossvelt's eloquent appeal to the nation for unity, it is rumoured General Johnson may resign. He has left for New York to confer with Mr. Roosevelt on the N.R.A. policy. The chief problems confronting them are the increase in strikes (which is serious enough) and the menace to the food supply.

The latest development is a protest by prominent film actors and actresses against the formation of a salary control board in the code and fourteen have resigned from the Movie Academy.

On the other hand, while New York is menaced by strikes, it is announced the local mediation board has settled disputes involving thirty thousand workers during its week's existence, while previously the local N.R.A. Chairman had settled a strike of sixty thousand in the dress industry.

The Annual Convention of the Federation of Labour opened in Washington after the Executive Council had drawn up a resolution calling for a revision of all codes now in operation in order to assure higher wages and a 34 hour week.

Mr. Green in a speech to the Convention declared that eleven million unemployed will not be reployed until the issue is boldly and uncompromisingly faced and will establish a six-hour day and a five-day week.—Reuter.

Strike Menace Spreading

New York, Oct. 2.

Strikes have been extending so rapidly that they are now seriously menacing New York's food supplies.

The President's hope that the new coal code would permit the miners to return to work has not materialised. A complete impasse seems to exist in the coal industry as the result of the battle of the owners against he Union system.

These serious developments, coupled with scepticism in the business world regarding the efficacy of the Government recovery measures are continuing to hamper the National Industrial Recovery Administration, which is meeting with resistance on all sides.

lorry drivers.

New York food is threatened by a strike of seventeen thousand They are demanding a five-day week at a six-day wage and their officials are boasting of the immobilisation of seventy-five thousand sacks of flour.

The Ford plant at Edgewater in New Jersey has been closed down, throwing twenty-five thousand workers into idleness.

No Prosecutions

Twelve thousand tool and die makers have joined the ranks of strikers at Detroit, Flint and Pontiac.

The Coal Code became effective as from to-day, but there are over a hundred thousand steel and coal workers continuing the strike in Western Pennslynaia, Ohio and Indiana.

The Attorney-General to-day issued orders to the Federal Attorneys to refrain from porsecuting violators of the Codes.—Reuter.

Senate Banking Enquiry

Washington, Oct. 3.

The Senate Banking Committee resumes its enquiries into the operations of private banking concerns to-day when the four partners of Messrs. Dillon, Read and Company will be questioned regarding loans floated by the firm. —Reuter.

President Disappoints

Chicago, Oct. 2.

All America waited upon President Roosevelt's speech to the annual Convention of the American Legion this afternoon, anticipating an important announcement defining the Administration's monetary policy.

A disappointment was, however, in store. No reference was made by the President to inflation or to foreign affairs.

He merely warned his hearers that recovery could not be obtained in six months. There had been ups and downs but the net result was consistent gain.—Reuter.

THE LEAGUE COUNCIL

Three New Members Appointed

London, October 2.

Denmark, Argentine and Australia were elected to non-permanent seats on the Council of the League of Nations this afternoon, Denmark replaces Norway, Argentine replaces Guatemala, and Australia takes the place of Ireland.—British Wireless.

LONDON STOCK MARKETS

British Funds Remain Steady

London, October 2.

The stock markets closed with some irregularity, but British funds remained steady, with War Loan 3½ per cent. at 101¼.

Rubbers finished below best on profit taking, but tins were firm. German bonds were weak and Kaffirs quiet.—British Wireless.

MARYSE HILTZ OFF TO TOKYO

Paris, Oct. 3.

The well-woman airwoman, Maryse Hiltz, took off at 12.44 a.m. on a flight to Tokyo and back. Her first stop will be Athens.

Mdlle. Hiltz is using a Breguet plane with a single engine of 650 h.p. and is accompanied by a mechanic.

Her route is via Siberia, Manchuli, Hailar, Harbin, Mukden and Seoul.—Reuter.

BIGGEST COTTON EXPORTER

Japan Leads Britain By 6,000,000 Sq. Yards

Tokyo, October 3.

Japan is now the World's biggest exporter of cotton goods.

Statistics for the eight months from January to August show that Japan exported 1,392 million square yards of cotton cloth; six million square yards more than that exported by Britain.—Reuter.

YOUNG MARSHAL IN SWEDEN

Stockholm, Oct. 2.

Chang Hsueh-liang had audience of the King and lunched with the Princes yesterday. He is visiting various Swedish industrial plants to-day and to-morrow and will be leaving for London on Wednesday. —Reuter.

THE MOLLISONS

Have Difficulty With New Plane

Collingwood, October 3.

The Mollisons made two unsuccessful attempts to start in their new plane the Seafarer II. on their attempted record breaking flight to Baghdad. The plane, which is loaded with six hundred gallons of special English petrol refused to rise on both occasions. The first time the plane taxied along the beach for a mile-and-a-half, but failed to leave the ground as the engine stalled. The fliers returned to the starting point but were equally unsuccessful in the second time.—Reuter.

DR. DOLLFUSS SHOT

Wounded In Chest And Arm

Vienna, October 3.

Dr. Dollfuss was shot and wounded in the arm and chest after leaving a political meeting at 2.30 p.m. this afternoon. He was rushed to hospital and in the meantime his assailant had been arrested.—Reuter.

MR. TOM CLARKE

Disagrees With Directors

AND RESIGNS EDITORSHIP OF "DAILY MAIL"

London, October 3.

Mr. Tom Clarke, member of the Board of Directors of the Daily News, Ltd., and managing editor since 1926, has resigned from the editorship owing to divergence of views with his fellow directors.—

Mr. Clarke was also a Director of the News and Westminister, Ltd., and was born on June 6, 1884. He started journalism on the Lewisham Journal in 1902 and was at one time on the staff of the South China Morning Post.

During the cruise of the Baltic Fleet in French Indo-China in the Russo-Japanese war, Mr. Clarke was special correspondent for the Daily Mail and the Chicago Tribune. After the war he travelled as special correspondent in China, Japan, Korea, Siberia and Russia and in 1907 he was News Editor of the Daily Sketch.

Joining the foreign staff of the Daily Mail in 1911, he was appointed Night News Editor in 1913. He joined up during the War and on his return from the Army in 1919, Lord Northcliffe appointed him editor. He was sent to America in 1920 to Study their newspaper methods, and from 1923 to 1926, he was assistant editor of The Herald, Melbourne, Australia and other allied publications.

COUP DE LYON

Scratched From All Engagements

London, October 3.

At 9 a.m. to-day, notice was given scratching all engagements this year, including the Cambridgeshire, for which Coup de Lyon had been entered.—Reuter.

REORGANISATION IN KIANGSU

Chen Kuo Fo A Member Of Council

Nanking, October 3.

The much-discussed reorganisation of the Kiangsu Provincial Government became a reality to-day with the formal appointment of Chen Kuo Fo, a member of the Central Executive Council, as Chairman of the Kiangsu Provincial Government.

Kuo Chu Tung, the retiring Chairman, has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the bandit suppression forces in Honan, Hupeh, Hunan, Kiangsi and Anhwei.

Other members of the new Kiangsu Provincial Government are Wu Jen Fah, Commissioner of Civil Affairs; Shen Fo Sien, Commissioner of Reconstruction; Chao Li Hua, Commissioner of Finance and Secretary-General; Chow Fu Hai, Commissioner of Education; Yu Chin Tang, Lo Liang Chien and Wang Fo Lin.—Reuter.

Sentence of ten week's hard labour was passed on a pickpocket who was convicted on a charge of stealing a purse containing $18 from the pocket of a man in Shanghai Street.

"BACKBONE OF GERMAN PEOPLE"

New Peasant Law Signed By Hitler

Berlin, October 3.

A revolutionary peasant law making peasants a privileged class within the state as "the backbone of the German people" has been signed by Herr Hitler.

Any farmer desiring to enjoy benefits of this law must prove he is a capable farmer, "German citizen of German blood without Jewish or coloured race taint since 1800." His arable forest land, if it does not exceed 310 acres cannot be divided among his heirs, sold or mortgaged.—Reuter.

RESTRICTION OF RUBBER GROWING

Sir C. Clementi's Speech Criticised

Batavia, October 3.

Dutch rubber growers consider Sir Cecil Clementi's speech as an effort to throw the blame beforehand on the Dutch East Indies if restriction should fail in consequence of excessive British demands.Reuter.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Special Correspondent)

London, October 3.

Following are the Silver Quotations on the London market to day:—

	Oct. 3.	Oct. 2.
Spot	18.5/16	18⅛
Forward	18.7/16	18.9/16

The London on New York cross rate to-day closed at £=U.S. 4.79¼.

WORLD TRADE RECOVERY

Encouraging Figures From Geneva

London, October 2.

Encouraging indications of a world recovery from the long period of economic depression were cited by the Head of the League of Nations' Financial Section, Mr. Alexander Loveday, at Geneva to-day.

Addressing the Assembly's Economic and Monetary committee, he referred to the world-wide indications of economic recovery.

Industrial production and consumption were increasing while the construction in world trade appeared to have been checked, at any rate for the moment.

The monthly trade for last July of forty-seven countries representing nine-tenths of the world's trade showed that the value of such trade, calculated on a gold currency, was greater than in the corresponding month of last year.

Exports rose by as much as ten per cent. which was the equivalent of 278 million gold dollars.

PRODUCTION RISES

In the world as a whole, industrial production has risen by over thirty per cent.

Diminution in the figures of unemployment was also shown by the returns for July, August and September, published by the International Labour Office. The Report shows an improvement in the situation for the first time since the economic depression began and it is recorded that a substantial diminution in the number of unemployed has taken place in many countries, particularly in Great Britain, Australia, Canada, Ireland, Belgium, Italy, Chile, Denmark, Portugal and Roumania.—British Wireless.

CHEE KUNG PARTY

Not Wanted In Kwangtung

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Oct. 3

Members of the Chee Kung Political Party, of which the late General Chen Chiung Ming was the leader and founder, are not wanted any where in Kwangtung, as the Provincial Dept. of Interior has issued a circular order to county magistrates instructing them to suppress the activities of this clique.

This party stands for provincial self-government, a federal form of government at Nanking and adoption of Socialist principles for the economic betterment of the country. Such theories of administration run contrary to orthodox Kuomintang doctrines and are viewed with disfavour by the high officials here.

Sanguine Kuomintang leaders strongly object to Communism and Fascism. Hence several alleged Blue Shirts or Fascists were arrested on suspicion of starting trouble, although the report of their execution cannot be confirmed. Lin Ping Cheung, one of the detained men, holds a sinecure position in the First Group Army with the rank of a brigadier general.

He was arrested on suspicion in conspiracy with some unemployed officers, and there is no evidence to show that General Lin is connected with the Blue Shirts. He is a graduate of the famous Pao Ting Military Academy (near Peiping), and his fellow classmates and brother officers are trying to secure bail for him.

OIL TAX BUREAU

To Protect Native Industry

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Oct. 3.

Designed to protect native oil industry, an oil tax bureau was formed to-day in Canton with other bureaux in Swatow, Hoihow and Toishan districts. Officials of these bureaux have assumed their duties as from to-day.

It is reported that the tax on imported oil or kerosene is $3 "big" money for one can of five gallons, while the tax on native refined product is $2 "big" money for the quantity. This discrimination against imported oil is to encourage native producers, and the tax will also obtain large sums of money for the various reconstruction projects under the Three year Plan.

Chinese refining companies have made petitions to the authorities to limit the import and refining of kerosene by the two leading foreign oil compsnies in Canton. These Chinese concerns have been unsuccessful in competing with imported goods, and now they have to pay a tax for the oil they refine.

GAS FACTORY

To Be Erected In Wong Sha

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Oct. 3

The Canton City Government is planning to build a gas factory at Wong Sha near the Canton-Hankow Railway station at a cost of about $1,000,000.

While only a preliminary plan has been drawn up, it is understood that the machinery and equipment will be ordered from a British firm in England. The City Government has secured the opinion of Mr. H. E. Stone, chief engineer of the Hong Kong Gas Works Company, in connection with establishing this plant in Canton.

Mr. Stone visited Canton yesterday and discussed the project with Mr. Liu Chi Wen, Mayor of Canton. Mr. Stone's suggestion follows similar line of operation as the gas works at Hong Kong, it is said. He was a guest of Mayor Liu at luncheon in the Tungshan Government Club and returned to Hong Kong the same day.

BANDITS OCCUPY PEITAIHO BEACH

Forty Police Disarmed: Director Of Public Safety Flees From Post

Peiping, October 3.

Though official confirmation is still lacking, the usually well informed "Ta Kung Pao" of Tientsin publishes a telegram from Changli saying that bandits occupied Peitaiho beach yesterday morning without resistence. Forty police there were disarmed by the bandits but the Director of Public Safety managed to escape with his staff and returned to Tientsin last night.—Reuter.

Not Molesting Foreigners.

Peiping, October 3.

The vernacular newspapers this morning declare that Peitaiho beach has been occupied by bandits who, however, are not molesting the few foreigners who remain at the seaside resort.

The story cannot be confirmed at present, but it appears to be easily possible.—Reuter.

SCENES OF WILD ORGY

SOLDIERS RUN WILD IN HAVANA

Palatial Hotel Crowded With Drunken Troops

BATISTA ACCLAIMED NAPOLEON OF CUBA

Havana, October 3.

Scenes of wildest orgy were witnessed following the surrender of beleaguered officers who were either killed, sent to hospital or arrested. United States' blue jackets watched from launches shells bursting on the National Hotel which is pierced by fifty large holes and is now a gaping ruin. The inside of the hotel being a veritable shambles, the lobbies are crowded with half-drunken soldier waving bottles of wine in the air, while crowds acclaimed Batista as the little Napoleon of Cuba.

The whereabout of San Martin is still a mystery, but it is reported he was taken prisoner while visiting the wounded in hospital.

It is reported that Mr. Cordell Hull is alarmed over the new developments, but the Navy Department is prepared for any eventualities. The warship, New Mexico, is now approaching Havana, while the Wyoming, with six hundred marines, is ready to leave Hampton Roads, Virginia.—Reuter.

Soldiers Get Out Of Hand

Havana, October 2.

The streets of Havana flowed with blood yesterday in the worst disturbances since Machado was ousted. Hundreds were killed and wounded.

There are ugly stories of a terrible massacre of officers at the Hotel National.

The soldiers are apparently out of hands and have been engaged in street fighting all day with Communists and students.

The real carnage did not begin until after nightfall although the day had been one of terrorism, in which thirty-nine persons were known to have been killed and fifty-nine wounded.

Fighting was resumed on a terrifying scale soon after dark. Firing was audible from almost every point of the city.

Mob Attacks

The shooting appears to have been initiated when soldiers fired into the air in an attempt to disperse a mob bent on looting the Hotel National, where a handful of officers are believed to be still holding out, though the main part of the building is in the hands of jubilant soldiery.

Most of the disarmed officers were taken to fort Cabanas through jeering crowds, but it was subsequently reported that a remnant of the officers loyal to the Cespedes regime, left temporarily in the hotel, were slaughtered in cold blood.

This dreadful affair is variously attributed to "Colonel" Batista, who is alleged to have issued orders, to the Communists and to students to run wild.

The soldiers are apparently out of hand following the heavy strains of the past week and are engaging in guerilla warfare against the Communists and students. The latter are armed with hand grenades.

Seventy-five Killed

Later.

It is now stated that at least 75 have been killed, of which number forty are soldiers and ten are officers. Twenty students are among the dead.

Pedestrians in large numbers have been struck by stray bullets and hundreds have been wounded, overtaxing the resources of Havana's hospitals.—Reuter.

M. RAJCHMANN AT NANKING

Nanking, October 3.

Mr. T. V. Soong arrived this morning by air at 9.40 from Shanghai with M. Rajchmann.—Reuter.

CUSTOMS TREASURY NOTES

Nanking, October 3.

It is officially confirmed that this morning's meeting of the Executive Yuan discussed a proposal for the flotation of $100,000,000 of Customs Treasury Notes.

The Executive Yuan approved the proposal and details will be presented to to-morrow's meeting of the Central Political Council for final adoption.—Reuter.

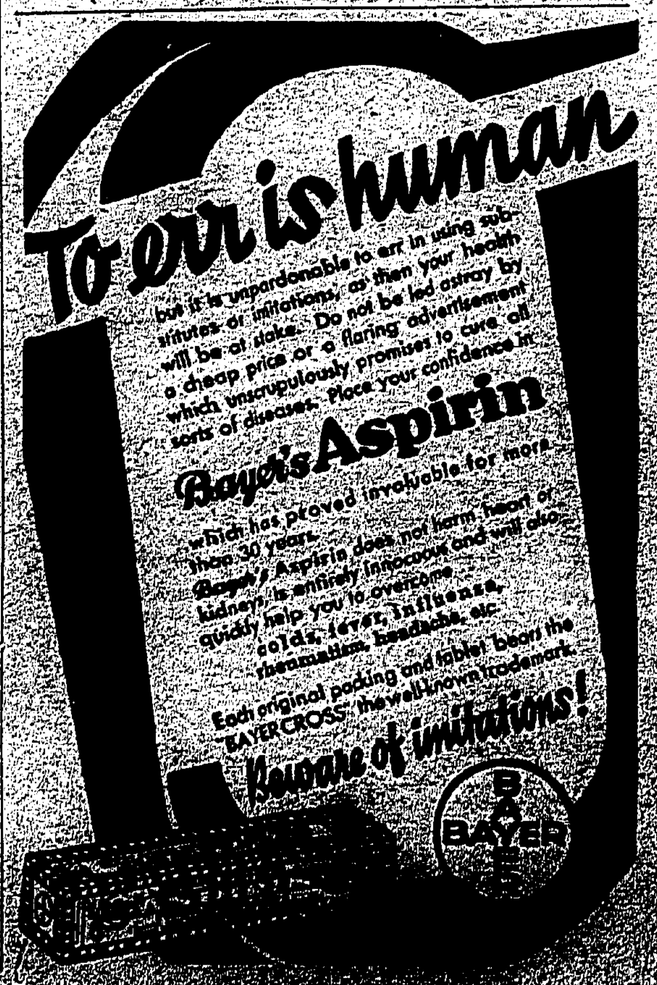
BANDITS ATTACK TRAIN

One Passenger Killed: 23 Injured

Tokyo, Octoer 3.

A message from Moukden states that one person was killed and 23 seriously injured and twenty were carried away, when a train which was travelling from Koupantzu to Newchwang was attacked by bandits led by Su Hai, near Tienchuangtai yesterday afternoon.

It will be recalled that Su Hai attacked a train on June 18 and carried off as hostages over one hundred passengers who have not been released.—Reuter.



Local Sports Reviewed

A Full Week

Last week saw a remarkably full programme of sporting engagements. Two interport teams arrived, namely the Shanghai Lawn Bowls team and the Shanghai swimming team. The former have had a match every day since Friday, while the latter gave the Colony a delightful exhibition on Monday, and have now proceeded to Manila, but they will be back here again on Monday next to give us another fine exhibition. In racing circles, although no race meeting was held, the try-out of the subscription griffins and the subsequent draw, provoked much interest amongs racegoers, owners, trainers, and jockeys. The league football season began, while King Cricket is also starting in a somewhat leisurely manner. Hockey in the course of the next few weeks will be in full swing, while I hear that the Boxing Association are contemplating an evening's programme entertainment early next month!

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Racing

The two-day programme fixed for the holidays look intriguing enough and there should be some big dividends, especially if it keeps on raining and conditions underfoot remain treacherous. More than one jockey told me, after the ninth extra race meeting, that they might have done better with their mounts on a dry course and that some of the ponies thoroughly disliked the wet going. Be that as it may, there seems to be some good tussles ahead for Saturday. The race between Portia and Woodland Stag will be worth going a long way to see, while Cossack's Beauty and Mayflower will no doubt provide a fine race. The subscriptions griffins will meet again and National Day and Warrington may have another opportunity of deciding who is who in "Sub-land." Just one more comment on Saturday's racing. Sadko's supporters are confident that their candidate can give Trentbridge a good race. Sadko's exhibition at his last outing, justifies this confidence, and here again is a tussle that no racing "fan" should miss.

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Aquatics

The Shanghai team put up an excellent exhibition against Hongkong on Monday at the V.R.C. and they have some very good swimmers. While I would say without hesitation that Hadley is the fastest swimmer we have seen in the Colony for some time, the V.R.C. has seen better swimming! Hadley was too good for Hongkong's best men and won the 50 yards comfortably, and, as if to make sure of his superiority, he swam in the 440 and then took up Roza again in the team race and beat him in spite of the slight start that Roza had. The 440 was a great race, and Pereira, if we believe the stop watch, did not go all out. He stayed with Hadley most of the way, and only drew ahead in the last three lengths. Hadley, of course, is essentially a sprinter and it spoke volumes for him that he did so well. He began to roll after 300 yards and that was the beginning of the end. S. V. Gittins surprised me by the good show he made in this race.

What's the matter with the selection committee? E. B. da Roza was a last-minute choice for the Medley race and he turned out the best man the Club has got, and, had Roza-Pereira been in the race, it is doubtful whether he could have done any better. Roza swam a fine race in the fifty and thanks to him Hongkong scored 9 unexpected points. Lawrence swam in the back strokes and will be a good man in the 100, his "last quarter" being a bit better than that of Roza's.

R. R. Duell was a deserved winner of the fancy diving event and he appeared to me to be head and shoulders better than the local champion Ed. da Roza. Duell has been champion of Shanghai for several years and as he is still a very young man, it would seem that he has chance of making himself world famous as a diver. Incidentally the Shanghai team consists entirely of young men and they are the youngest side that has visited the Colony for any interport contest.

While on the interport contests, I would like to offer a suggestion. The results should be announced as soon after the race as possible, and the times given without delay. There were some very prolonged delays on Monday and it is hoped that this will be remedied when the interport series is continued.

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Lawn Bowls

The Shanghai team arrived here on Friday, and, almost immediately on landing, played the Police at Happy Valley. The match drew quite a large gathering of supporters, who however, were not there during the subsequent matches. The first appearance of the Shanghai men on our rinks was distinctly disappointing and although they won the opinion was that they would have to play much better if they were going to figure well in the interport. Then on Saturday the Bowling Green beat them by a big margin. On Monday they visited the Yacht Club and although only a second division club, they held Shanghai for a good part of the match and only succumbed towards the end. The match at Taikoo was played under very adverse conditions, and Shanghai suffered the second defeat.

What they have got up their sleeves, I know not, but it seems that they do not approve of the game usually played in Hongkong of putting stoppers and blocks whenever they lie the shot. I have seen them lying three or four shots and leaving the head wide open for any of the opposing players to drive. Whether they will still play in this way at the interport proper, remains to be seen, but it seems certain that our men will quickly block a head if we were lying the shot.

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The Sub-Griffins

The "experts" were all down at the course last week to see the try-out of the subscription griffins. The trials were intended, so I understand, to decide whether the ponies were sound or otherwise, before the draw took place, but some of those who saw the ponies at work claimed that they could tell "class" and "breed" and all that sort of thing from the slow canter over a furlong. The consensus of opinion was that No. 73, which Mrs. Samson had the good fortune to draw, was the best pony in the lot, and it now remains to be seen whether the critics are right! The new batch of subs looks quite good and is certainly better than Warrington & Co., though whether they will touch the standard of Racing Boy and Bistre is questionable. I would not be surprised if one or two of them did.

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The Make-Up

I have been privileged to see every game the Shanghai lawn bowlers have played so far, and do not hesitate to say that Richards would make the best skip of the six players who have come down. "Sandy" Malcolm seems to be on an exceedingly bad patch just now. He is a very good sport and enjoys every bit of every game he plays, and it is men like "Sandy" who liven up a side. Here's hoping that he will get used to the Hongkong greens by the time the interport falls due. T. G. Main is a steady player, but I doubt if he is cut for a skip. Bailey is the soundest man on the side and should be an excellent No. 3. J.M.P. Remedios played a good game at the Yacht Club, and although I do not expect to see him included in the first interport match, he will no doubt do well in the other matches. Lopes is a great player, capable of rising to great heights when occasions demand and although he will not be called upon to skip the Shanghai team in interport matches, he should make a very good No. 1.

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The Shanghai Game

So far, one conspicuous feature of the game played by the visitors is their sporting spirit and very rarely do they give up a head. They try all kinds of shots to get themselves out of a "hole" and sometimes, they come off with it!

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Football

The 1933-1934 local soccer season opened last week-end, and, with the exception of one unpleasant incident in the Recreio-Police match, all the games went off as well as could be desired. The general standard of football has considerably improved and the season promises to be as interesting as ever. Several teams who were in the running for the championships last year were beaten by comparatively weak teams. In the first division the Artillery, last year's runners-up, were beaten by the Club while in the second, the Borderers lost to the Royal Navy. While the Artillery's defeat could be accounted for by the fact that they have lost several of their best players, the Borderers losing to the Navy was indeed a surprise (incidentally this was the only surprise of last week's matches) for they have practically the same team that did so well last year.

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Chinese Derby

The best match of the week, however, was that between the South China, last year's champions, and the Chinese Athletics. This match has been generally called the "Chinese Derby" and the great rivalry between these two teams, always ensures a large crowd on the ground.

South China won by four goals to one and although that might indicate an easy win they had to fight hard all the way. The Athletics, although their tactics were not so good as their opponents, fought doggedly and had as many opportunities of scoring. Their forwards, however, were a bit weak while the champions' vanguard combined with perfect understanding.

NO LAWN BOWLS!

Weather Interferes With Fixture

The lawn bowls match fixed between Shanghai and the Club de Recreio this afternoon has had to be cancelled. The Shanghai team will be playing on the Civil Service ground to-day at 3.30 p.m. against "Victoria," a Hongkong team led by Mr. A. W. Grimmitt.

The match was to have taken place yesterday, but owing to the heavy rain in the morning and the incessant drizzle during the afternoon it was impossible to hold the fixture and those who turned up at the Civil Service Club were disappointed.

The visitors and would-be spectators, however, were entertained to tea, served in the covered verandah of the Club, and, afterwards an informal bridge match proved a welcome substitute for bowls on a wet afternoon.

BOXING

Thil Retains Title

Paris, Oct. 2.

Marcel Thil, the French boxer, recognised in Europe as the World's middleweight champion, to-day retained his title when he outpointed Kid Tunero, the Cuban champion.

The contest was over 15 rounds, and Thil was a fairly easy winner. —Reuter.

LAWN TENNIS

Open Mixed Doubles Draw

The following is the draw for the Opened Mixed Doubles Championship of the Colony, arranged by the C.R.C.

The first and second rounds must be played off between the 12th inst. and the 27th inst. The final will be played on the 18th Nov. when the C.R.C. "At Home" will take place.

E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Dalziel, bye.

Capt. E. Manners and Mrs. Stafford Smith v. W. D. Muspratt and Mrs. M. Everest.

Prof. R. E. Tottenham and Mrs. M. Lewis Bryan v. Tong Liang and Mrs. Helen Lo.

Lieut.-Commander A. L. Besant and Mrs. G. Turner v. M. W. Lo and Mrs. J. Litton.

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Capt. Cannon and Mrs. R. M. M. James v. V. Yvanovich and Miss M. Griffiths.

Ho Ka Lau and Mrs. Ho Ka Lau, bye.

A SINGAPORE FOOTBALL CLUB

Conviction Under Gaming Ordinance Upheld

Singapore, Sept. 23.

The appeal by the Singapore British Malay Football Club, represented by its president and secretary, against a conviction under the Common Gaming Houses Ordinance, was dismissed, when judgment was delivered by Justice Geraghty, yesterday. The charge on which the appellants had been convicted was that in May last, their premises, 124 Arab Street, were used as a common gaming house. They were fined $10.

Game Called Off!

The Borderers beat the St. Joseph's by four goals to two, and had the game not been abandoned on account of rain they would probably have won by a much bigger margin. Incidentally an interesting point arose out of the abandonment of the game. The "Chinese Derby" and this match were played on the same day—Sunday—but while the former match continued in spite of the heavy showers, the referee of the other match called the game off. Which of them was right?

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Second Division

In the Second Division, the Chinese Athletics, last year's champions, maintained their old form by beating the Club by four goals to one, while South China did well to beat the Lincolns by four clear goals.

The Royal Army Medical Corps newcomers to the League, made a promising start in the Third Division by trouncing the University by 10 goals to one, and if they maintain the form revealed on Saturday it would not be surprising to see them in the running for the championship. The Borderers narrowly beat the Air Force by three goals to two, while the Recreio were defeated by the Lincolns by five clear goals.

HOME GOLF

The Jubilee Vase

CAPTAIN STEVENS'S VICTORY

St. Andrews, Sept. 12.

Captain C. B. G. Stevens won the Queen Victoria Jubilee Vase here this morning, when he beat H. Vivian-Smith in the final round over 18 holes of the Old Course by two holes up and one to play. He thoroughly deserved his victory for he has played fine, accurate, convincing golf all through the tournament, making very few slips and taking almost every opportunity that was offered him.

That was the whole story of the final round from his point of view. From Vivian-Smith's it was the old story of so many golfers in receipt of strokes in similar circumstances. He was perhaps over-anxious to use his strokes and over-anxiety proved his undoing. Nevertheless, he played bravely and earned well deserved laurels and, when he cures himself of a tendency to cut his long shots and learns to play his approaches with a little more firmness, he will be able to make the most of his power and will become a counting golfer.

The weather was again perfect. Another grey day gave perfect visibility, with a cool north-easterly breeze. When play was begun Vivian-Smith, in receipt of a third, drew first blood, for Captain Stevens put his second just under the right-hand wooden bridge at the Burn Hole, an impossible position, and resigned. Vivian-Smith also won the second hole in a net 3. The third hole went to Captain Stevens in 4 to 5, and Vivian-Smith became two up again at the fourth, winning it in a good 4. Captain Stevens took the Long Hole out in a fine 4, and won it in spite of having to give a stroke. The sixth was halved in 4, and then Captain Stevens got a hole back, Vivian-Smith fluffing his second. Then Vivian-Smith made one of the mistakes that was to cost him so dearly. To the short eighth he had a stroke, but he pulled his tee shot far to the left, and could not get his 3. Immediately Captain Stevens seized his chance, holing a long putt to win in 2. Vivian-Smith made amends by holing an eight-yard putt to win the ninth in 3, and the match turned all square.

The 10th hole was halved in 4, but at the High Hole Vivian-Smith made another mistake that the fates would not forgive, for he allowed Captain Stevens to win it in spite of having to give a stroke. The 12th was halved in 4, but Vivian-Smith pulled himself together bravely and won the difficult 13th in 4. Captain Stevens missed one of the very few drives that went astray during this wonderful week, and once more the match was all square. Then VivianSmith made the most fatal and costly mistake of all. Twice he drove out of bounds at the Long Hole home, and, with Captain Stevens' hitting an enormous drive down the Elysian Fields level with the Bents Bunker, there was no more to be said. The 15th hole was halved in 5, where Captain Stevens, after another prodigious drive right down to Robb's Bunker, was short with his second, and eventually found himself faced with a stymie he failed to negotiate. The corner of the Dyke settled the issue, for here Vivian-Smith fluffed his second and Capt. Stevens won it in 4 to become two up with two to play, a very happy position as he had to give a stroke at the Road Hole. Vivian-Smith still had a chance to keep the match alive, but he pulled his tee shot, and then, after a good second, was short with his third. He ran his fourth up to the green too straight. The ball caught that dominating little knob on the left of the green and curled off it down into the Pot Bunker, that grave of so many hopes. To his eternal credit he got his fifth well out on to the green, close to the hole, and sank his putt for a net 5. But that was not good enough, for Captain Stevens made no mistake and got his 5, and all was over.

FANLING GOLF CLUB

New Club House Increased Subscriptions

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the Golf Club is to be held at the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., on Tuesday the 24th of October, at 5.30 p.m. to consider a resolution to the effect.

That the Committee be authorised to proceed with construction of a new Club House and swimming-pool at Fanling cost not exceeding $350,000.

The Committee asks to be authorised to borrow funds up to the total of $300,000 at a rate of not exceeding 5 per cent. secured on Debentures.

An resolution will be proposed [illegible] increased by [illegible] the 31st December [illegible] Ordinary [illegible] Class B [illegible] Ordinary [illegible] relatives [illegible]

SWIMMERS FROM CANTON

To Meet H.K.I.A.S.A. To-night

STRONG TEAM COMING HERE

A strong contingent of swimmers from Canton is due to meet the Hong Kong International Amateur Swimming Association at the Y.M.C.A. bath to-night in a series of interport contests.

The Canton team is known as the Kwong Provincial Amateur Athletic Federation and they are staying over in Hong Kong on their way to the Chinese National meeting at Nanking on October 10.

It is expected that several records will be broken as the Canton team includes some very good talent.

The names of the swimmers in the Canton side had not been received by the mail last night, according to an official of the H.K. I.A.S.A., but that there will be some keen swimming is certain.

The gala is open to the public and the entrance fee to non-members is $1.10. The attraction will be sure to draw a big attendance.

Two men from each side will swim in the different events and the scoring will be three points for a win, two for a second and one for a third. The water polo and team race carries five points for the winners.

Hong Kong F.A.

GOVERNOR'S CHALLENGE CUP

The following have been selected to play against the Chinese in the Governor's Cup Competition on Tuesday, 10th October, 1933. Hong Kong F. C. ground at 4.30 p.m.

Cord (Kowloon F. C.); Allan (R. A.); S. Strange (H.K.F.C. (Captain); Perkins (Royal Navy); Pardoe (R. A.); McQuire (Royal Navy); L. Harris (S. W. Borderers); Gomes (Recreio); Elliott (Kowloon F. C.); Ridley (Lincoln Regt); Lt. Hocquard (Lincoln Regt.)

White shirts will be provided.

Reserves. — Mullane, (S.W.B.), West (R.N.), Bliss. (Kowloon), Figuereido (Recreio), A. Duncan (Club), Howe (Club), Pay Master Smith (R.N.), Baldry (Lincoln Regt.), Blake (Kowloon).

NEW GERMAN REGULATIONS

Berlin.

The Ministry for Economic Affairs has now issued to the Foreign Exchange Control Offices new instructions for the treatment of the foreign shipping companies represented in Germany. The order compelling German travellers, and even foreign travellers, in so far as they wish to pay in marks, to apply to the Foreign Exchange Control Offices for authorization before booking passages (above the low "exemption limit" for the export of money) by foreign vessels is withdrawn. The new regulations are regarded as satisfactory by the representatives of the foreign lines, and leave them as much freedom to conduct their business in Germany as is possible while foreign exchange control continues in force.

Under the new regulations the Foreign Exchange Control Offices are instructed to grant the foreign companies general authorization to book passages in marks without limit. They are thus able freely to deal with intending passengers, and this was their main demand: anything short of its fulfilment would seriously have crippled their activities here.

Germans or foreigners may now book freely by foreign vessels. Bookings must be confined to costs incurred on the ship, and the amount of the passages not used or not fully used may only be refunded in marks within Germany.

EXCHANGE CONTROL.

The foreign exchange control will in future be applied to the total receipts of each foreign company (as was the case before the order which gave rise to the controversy) and not to the cost of the individual passage. So far as the cost of passages is paid in foreign exchange brought into Germany by the passenger or obtained by Germans in this country with the approval of the Foreign Exchange Control Offices, authorization to remit the proceeds abroad is to be given.

The remaining receipts (that is, from passages paid for in marks) may be used to meet the expenses of the foreign companies in Germany. The Foreign Exchange Control Offices may further authorize the remittance abroad of any surplus of income in marks over the expenditure in Germany up to 50 per cent. of the surplus in the same period last year (when business was better and when receipts in foreign exchange now transferable without restriction were also included in the returns hereafter to be used for purposes of comparison). Special authorization from the Ministry for Economic Affairs must be sought to transfer receipts in marks exceeding 50 per cent. of last year's surplus of income over expenditure in Germany.

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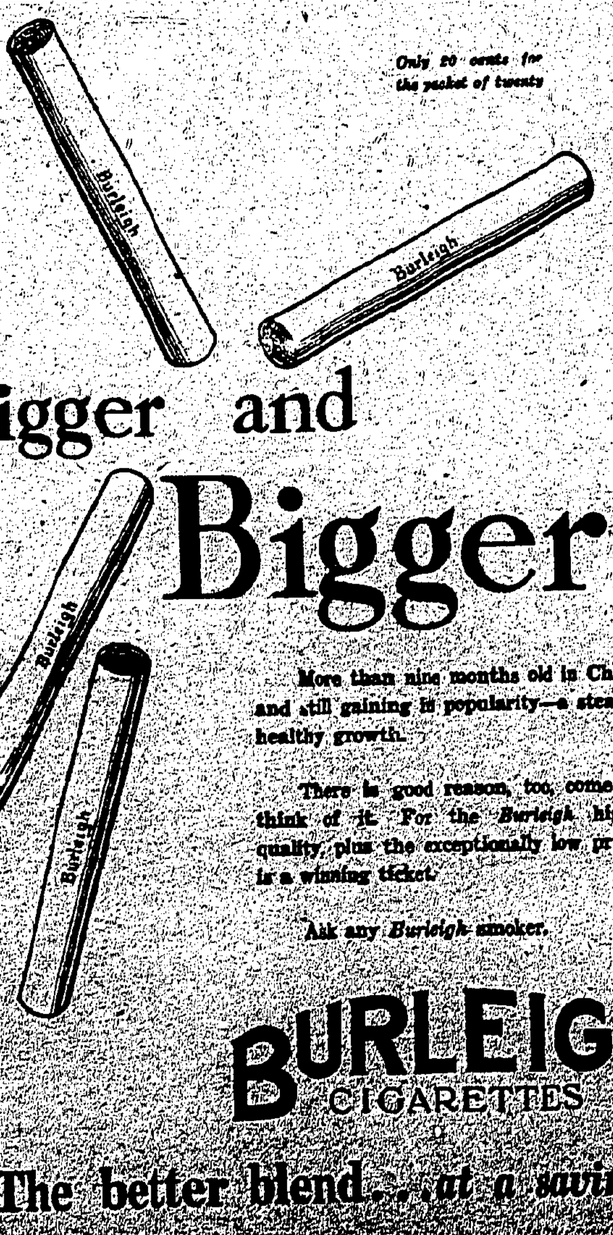

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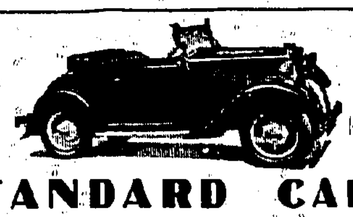
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HOCKEY IN KOWLOON

Indian Troops Local Pioneers Of The Game

By Our Special Correspondent

Hockey has taken a very firm hold in Kowloon, and every evening several teams may be seen either at practice or engaged in matches. Even the ladies have gone "hockey mad," and it would be no exaggeration to say that the ladies are getting keener than the men, so far as getting up fixtures are concerned. But there is a section of the community who are so keen that they play all-round the year. I refer to the Indian soldiers who have been called, more than once, the pioneers of hockey in Kowloon.

I have watched these soldiers at play more times than I can remember, and it is indeed remarkable how they can run about the sand ground so fast without any shoes on. Another thing is that they do not mind how many knocks they get on the shin—they wear no shin-guards and when they do get hit by a ball or stick, all they do is bend down, give the "sore spot" a few rubs and then go on as though nothing had happened!

These games are always very keenly contested, for, hockey is India's national game, and even when there is no trophy at stake, the Indian is just as keen to win.

Some people have the mistaken idea that the Indian soldier is a bad sport and one of those people who cannot take a beating. That is not the case, for in all my dealings with them, I have found them to be just as sporting as the next man. True, there are exceptions and here is perhaps the reason why he is looked upon as a bad sport.

A few years ago, the University hockey team were playing against an Indian regiment on the Marina ground, and everything went as could be desired until just before half-time when one of the University forwards accidentally hit one of the Indians on the shin. This fellow, unfortunately, was one of those people without a sense of humour, for no sooner was he hit than he started to chase the unhappy undergraduate all over the field wih his stick!

But to return to the subject of hockey in Kowloon. As far as I know, the following Kowloon teams will be fully occupied this season with matches against each other as well as some of the Service teams and also the Hong Kong ones:—

St. Andrew's, Y.M.C.A., C.B.A., Kowloon Indians Jats., Recreio., Kowloon Ladies, Recreio Ladies and C.B.A. Ladies.

Quite apart from these teams, there are a number of Kowloon residents playing for other teams so that it may truly be said that Kowloon is the home of hockey. That being the case, it is to be hoped that the Kowloon Clubs will get together and petition the Government for a plot of ground where they can stage representative matches and also a game at night with the aid of flood lights.

That, however, is rather looking ahead. We must see how hockey is going to develop during the next year or so, and when the time comes for this step to be taken, I for one will wish it the success it deserves.

U.S. BASEBALL

Columbus Win Little World Title

New York Oct. 2.

Columbus have won the Little World Series by four matches to three.

To-day they defeated Buffalo in the deciding game by seven runs to two, having previously led by three matches to one and then allowed themselves to be caught up.

The results of the seven matches were:

Buffalo beat Columbus	7-6
Columbus beat Buffalo	6-4
Columbus beat Buffalo	8-5
Columbus beat Buffalo	11-5
Buffalo beat Columbus	7-3
Buffalo beat Columbus	7-4
Columbus beat Buffalo	7-2.

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WAR EXPECTED IN 1935-6

General Araki's Blood-Curdling Forecast

FEAR OF THE UNITED STATES

Tokyo.

Dangers lurk and beset Japan on every side and her position to-day is so grave, both internally and externally, that "only the most heroic measures" will save the country.

So declared General Sadao Araki, Japan's War Minister, to a full-dress group of army military councillors. The War Minister had invited the military councillors to attend an informal conference at which he set forth in detail the reasons impelling him to demand the huge appropriations that he has requested the Finance Ministry to supply to his department and, at the conclusion of his speech, all those present endorsed the views of the War Minister and pledged themselves to do their utmost to ensure that his aims and policies are fully carried out.

General Araki's description of the situation in which Japan finds herself to-day cannot be described as other than alarming and alarmist. He commenced by saying that the country was now virtually isolated internationally and that "Little Japan, in her brave and courageous efforts to champion the causes of justice, righteousness and humanity" had been grossly misunderstood, though all she did was intended merely to further the peace of the Far East. This isolation, he went on, is increasing as day succeeds day, while it was of the greatest significance, he said, that the date of Japan's official withdrawal from the League of Nations synchronises with the convocation of the second Washington Conference.

This latter fact alone, he contended, ought to show how serious the position was and he expressed regret that a large section of the general public did not seem to realise this and, instead, were wasting their time and energies in frivolous directions.

China Nursing a Grudge

The War Minister conjured up quite a bogey with regard to the alleged big infiltration of American influence into China. "China," he declared, "has been, and is, nursing a grudge against Japan ever since the Manchurian affair. It is true that she is obsequious and yielding in the face of the superior power of Japan, but all indications go to show that she will continue to cling to her policy of sustained resistance for a long time yet.

American Influence in China

"In the meantime, American influence in China is growing at an alarming rate and it may be fairly accurately stated that America has secured all aviation and communication right (*sic*) in China to-day. Then, Soviet Russia has also been behaving in such a menacing manner of late that friends of peace here are naturally apprehensive. Her troops on the borders contiguous with Manchouku have been increased, and this is especially true as regards the number of aeroplanes that have been concentrated in Vladivostok and other key centres in the Russian Far East." General Araki estimated the number of Soviet planes now in the Far East as being in the vicinity of 300, these including a "few dozen big bombers with a loading capacity of seven tons." Soviet Russia, he proceeded, is not likely to force a quarrel with Japan at the present time as Japan is fully armed and has already occupied vantage positions in Manchuria, but he expressed the fear that, if the country's armaments are not kept up to scratch, the wily Russian Bear might seize the opportunity and strike at Japan suddenly.

General Araki's ominous views of the perils alleged to be confronting Japan were intended to secure as large a measure of popular support as possible for the vast amount of money he is demanding to perfect the equipment and augment the power of the military machine and all throughout he—as is the case with others of a similar bent of mind—has been aiming at securing national enthusiasm by directing animosity against some foreign country. The United States has been chosen by him for the role of the Machiavellian nation which is threatening the national existence of an inoffensive and innocuous Japan, with Great Britain, Soviet Russia and China being assigned lesser roles a "disturbing factors" in the attempt to interfere with Japan's benignant motives to promote peace, harmony and well-being in the Far East.

The Danger of America

"When America has expended her navy and her ratio is greater than that of Japan's, it is quite possible that she may become wayward and unreasonable," in the opinion of General Araki. "As matters stand to-day, she has virtually thrown the gage down at our feet by transferring her Atlantic squadron to the Pacific. As for China, she will assuredly make common cause with the United States against Japan, while Britain, who has such extensive interests in China, will, in such a contingency, not be likely to adopt a stand that will be favourable to this country. Besides, there is Soviet Russia who is an adept in capitalising the woes and troubles of others. She may take a leaf out of Italy's book, adopting an attitude of neutrality at the beginning and, afterwards, taking sides with our enemies. The situation in the Far East, as I see it, is such that a kindled match may at any time be set to the explosive conditions that are in existence and very serious trouble might arise in or about 1935-36. The only way to prevent a calamitous outbreak is to arm to the teeth, and to increase our military efficiency. If Japan possesses the armament that she should have, it is my opinion that no nation will dare to cross swords with her and the policies our country has decisively embarked on can be, in this way, conducted and brought to a successful conclusion without any fear of our receiving a setback."

Plans for Army and Navy

General Araki concluded by declaring that the new plans for expansion of the Army and Navy must be undertaken simultaneously and immediately "so as to provide against the fateful days of 1935-36." Formerly, he said, as for instance when the Navy laid down its eight-and-eight building programme, the Army was able to wait before it started to increase its own armaments. Such is not the case to-day, he averred, as the situation is so pressing that it is impossible to give priority to the one or the other. National defences, he insisted, should be perfected without any further loss of time and, in requesting his hearers to lend him every support in realising his objective, he told them that he had intimated to both the Premier and the Finance Minister that the Army was determined to have the amount it deemed necessary for further armament replenishment and that it was up to the Finance Minister, in view of the grave crises that the country confronts both at home and abroad, to secure the funds needed.

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements. N.	S.	E.	W.	Contents in Square feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
1	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 3303.	Argyle Street.	As per sale plan				About 217,000	2,409	162,750

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			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
2	Rural Building Lot No. 374.	On spur between Repulse Bay and West Bay.	As per sale plan				About 21,300	236	2,600

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GOVERNMENT STORES CONTRACT—1934.

IT is hereby notified that sealed tenders, in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "TENDER FOR STORES" will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office, until noon of Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1933, for the supply and delivery of Stores required by Government Departments during the year 1934.

For Specifications and Forms of Tender apply at the office of Superintendent, Accounts and Stores, Public Works Department, from whom further particulars may be had on application.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves to itself the option of accepting FOR ALL OR ANY PART of such Specification.

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THE Institute will be re-opened on Wednesday, 11th October, 1933. Provision will be made for instruction in English Literature, Commercial English, French, Shorthand, Book Keeping, Physics, Chemistry, Hygiene, Pedagogy, Electrical Engineering, Building Construction, Architecture, Sanitation, Field Surveying, Physical Instruction, Machine Drawing, Applied Mechanics, Cookery, and any other subject for which there is sufficient demand.

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HONG KONG TRAMWAYS, LIMITED,
W. F. SIMMONS,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 28th September, 1933.

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Hongkong, 28th September, 1933.

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 7TH OCTOBER, and on TUESDAY, 10TH OCTOBER, 1933 commencing at 2.00 p.m. on both days.

The First Bell will be Rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at $5.00 per day for Gentlemen and $3.00 per day for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 O'Clock Noon on both days.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tiffins are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

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The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is $2.00 per day including Tax, all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB during the Race Meeting.

By Order,
O. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 2nd Oct., 1933. [1842

KUOMINTANG CONGRESS

Chinese Press Criticise Canton Leaders

MOTIVES FOR POSTPONEMENT QUESTIONED

Shanghai, Sept. 30.—Commenting on the decision of the Standing Committee of the Central Kuomintang on Thursday to postpone the Fifth National Congress of the Kuomintang until November next year, the "China Times" in its issue of yesterday criticised the attitude of the three southern generals who pressed for the postponement and questioned their motives.

"The National Congress of the Kuomintang is the highest authority of the party," declared this influential Chinese journal "and with the country under the party dictatorship of the Kuomintang it can also be said that the National Congress is the highest administrative authority of the country. According to the Constitution of the Party, the Congress should be held this November, but yesterday's decision postpones the gathering for another year. The Party Constitution provides that the Congress shall be held once every two years, but it can be postponed for a year in case of necessity.

What Are They Driving At?

"So far as we know, the postponement has been caused by the recent joint telegram from Generals Li Tsung-jen, Chen Chi-tang and Tsai Ting-kai pointing out that there was no necessity for calling the Congress when the country is still menaced by Communists and threatened by external aggression. They declared that if it must be convened, they were afraid it would bring about fresh complications, thereby further weakening the position of the country. The three generals were evidently of the opinion that, if held, the Congress would plunge the country to destruction.

"We can hardly understand what these generals were driving at. The convocation of the National Congress is not primarily for the suppression of Communists or warding off external aggression. It is an organ of the Party which should be convened regularly, irrespective of the Communist menace or external aggression. There is no relation whatsoever between the Congress and Communists or aggression. There is no reason why the non-existence of Communists and external aggression should be made a condition for the convocation of the Congress. It is also absurd for the three leaders to suppose that the convocation of the Congress would plunge the country into fresh complications and further weaken the position of the Government since the Congress is primarily convened to avoid such complications. It is absurd for the trio to propose its post-ponement and even more absured for the Central Kuomintang to endorse their views.

A Serious Problem

"The postponement of the Congress constitutes a serious problem for the Party. According to the joint telegram issued by the three generals, they did not propose a postponement, but actually suggested that it should not be convened unless there is a necessity for doing so. Therefore, even if the Party decided to postpone the Congress for a year, a further postponement might again be made next year if the same generals or some others should make a similar suggestion."

STEEL, COULSON'S BILLIARD LEAGUE

It has been decided to hold the above Competition this winter, on the same lines as in previous years.

Will all Clubs, Messes, etc. desirous of participating please send a representative to a Meeting to be held at St. Patrick's Club, Garden Road, Hong Kong, at 8.00 p.m. on Monday next, 9th October, 1933.

The Committee will be elected, and any other business discussed at this Meeting.

All correspondence in connection with the Competition should be addressed to Mr. R. Jordan, Honorary Secretary, St. Patrick's Club, Hong Kong.

REPORTING A PIRACY

Notice Of Correct Method

The Harbour Master has issued the following notice to mariners.

Reports of Piracies.

If a vessel in distress sends a message asking for assistance as a private message, bearing a specific address; and no general distress message is sent out, the public departments concerned will be unable to render assistance to the vessel in question or to take steps to make the need generally known in order that other ships or persons may render assistance. Any vessel requiring assistance from the Hongkong Naval or Police Authorities should address a message to the Commodore and in addition to Call Sign G.B.K.Z. (any British man-of-war.)

DERELICT JUNK OFF LANTAU

The Master of the s.s. Sui Tai reports that a dismasted water-logged junk is derelict at Halfway Point, at the western end of Lantau, constituting a danger to navigation.

THE SHANGHAI MARKETS

No Decision On Disposal Of American Loan Cotton

Shanghai Sept. 30

Mills are requesting the Government to raise funds to support the yarn market before they decide to buy up at market rates the 11,000 bales of cotton from the G.$50,000,000 American loan, it was reported on the arrival of the shipment yesterday. It is understood, however, that the Government will promise no relief measures unless there is rapid disposal of the cotton, realising sufficient funds to meet national requirements.

PIECE GOODS

The market for English piece goods is extremely quiet, and no forward business has been placed during the week, except that one or two small lots of greys for local finishing have been entered. Local demand for English cotton piece goods stocks is very restricted, and clearances poor. On the other hand, there has been very considerable activity in China-made flannels. During the week the Chinese press stated that there were hopes for a reduction in the cotton piece goods import tariff, but no authority is stated, and it is impossible to get any confirmation of this. Local finishing plants are very active, and despite the political position Japanese goods are moving freely. Clearances of woollens and worsteds are well maintained, and further orders for worsteds of various descriptions for forward delivery have been placed, despite the strength of the home market.

COTTON, YARN, ETC.

Weekly report by Messrs. J. Spunt and Co.

Chinese Cotton: In the early part of the week our market evinced quite a firm undertone owing to the inclement weather conditions in the American markets. However, as later reports indicated that the damage done to the crop was more or less negligible, and as the trend in the foreign cotton markets moved more or less in a bearish direction and as mills' taking are still confined to hand-to-mouth policy, the prices on the local standard cotton immediately reacted downward, evolving a net decline of $1 per picul at the close as compared with the highest figures ruling during the early part of the week. Arrivals are increasing daily, particularly Ningpo cotton, which is meeting with rather small absorption. It is reported that some demand for the silky staple emanated from some of the local Japanese mills, but export business has been rather quiet. Marketing of the new crop in most of the cotton centres commenced earlier this year than in the previous seasons, and with favorable weather conditions continuing during the next month a heavy movement of all growths may be reasonably expected. It is reported that part of the Japanese long position in the Chinese Cotton Goods Exchange has been liquidated and that one of the prominent Chinese mill owners is credited with being the largest seller of October cotton.

About 11,000 bales of American cotton from the $50,000,000 loan arrived yesterday, part of which is intended for delivery to Japanese interests against old commitments. Several conferences have been held with regard to methods of disposing of this loan cotton, but it appears that nothing of a satisfactory nature has so far resulted. It is reported that the mills are asking the Government to raise funds to support the yarn market first, before they decide to buy up the cotton at market rates, but the Government will make no promises of any relief measures at the present time unless the cotton is quickly disposed of at the purchased rates so that sufficient funds evolve to meet Government's requirements and at which time the Government may set apart a portion of the receipts for the relief asked for.

Yarn: Actual demand continues slow, though some improvement set in when compared with that of last week. Two of the most prominent millowners have taken up about 8,000 bales of yarn futures this month, in consequence of which the general sentiment in the market has changed to a certain extent and closed with a steady undertone. Of course any material improvement in the yarn situation will depend entirely upon the size of the actual demand from consumers and any artificial support on the part of the producers is to be considered only as a temporary remedy.

SILK

Very little movement in silk is to be reported for the period under review. Some transactions in steam filatures, totalling approximately 200 bales, represent the bulk of business, followed by half this quantity each of Szechuen filatures, and Tussah filatures. Lacking any support from America, prices could not be maintained, and business was booked throughout at declining prices. As in the preceding week, the market closed dull and depressed, in sympathy with the heavy declines which have taken place in both New York and Japan.

WHEAT AND FLOUR

During the week under review world wheat markets have been very quiet indeed. The principal exporting countries did not find it easy to dispose of large quantities. Actual prices have declined all over the world. Prices in the United States are only slightly lower, while prices in Canada have declined approximately 10 per cent. The fact remains that Canadian prices will continue to fix values for wheat all over the world.

No foreign wheat business has been transacted in Shanghai. On the other hand, deliveries of Chinese wheat are becoming smaller, but at the time it is reported that several of the large mills in Shanghai will close down since flour prices in Shanghai are so low that mills cannot operate without loss.

RICE

In consequence of the damage to the late crop by the recent typhoon and the Canton Government's levy of $1 per picul on all foreign rice, the general tone of the market improved greatly in the course of the week. The market price of Rangoon Small Mills advanced to $7.40 per tzar.

TEA

In black tea only 79 half chests of Keemun have been sold during the week. Hankow continues a keen market, with dwindling supplies.

With regard to green tea, Chunmee business continues very steadily, 6,234 half-chests having changed hands since our last report. Arrivals are said to be at an end, and stocks are very nearly so.

Sowmee: Trading continues steadily on a firm market. Settlements are reported as 1900 half-chests and at the present rate there are barely two weeks' supplies left available.

Gunpowders: Settlements during the week dropped to 341 packages, which represent about half the remaining stock.

Pingsueys: Little or no business has been done, offering being of very poor quality.

At the present rate of trading there is less than two weeks' supply of green tea of all kinds left on the market, and no more to come.

SHANGHAI MARKET

Shanghai, Oct.	$39.00
Tungchow Oct.	$41.00
Ningpo, Spot	$36.50
Shensi, Oct.	$41.50
Tone of market:	Steady.

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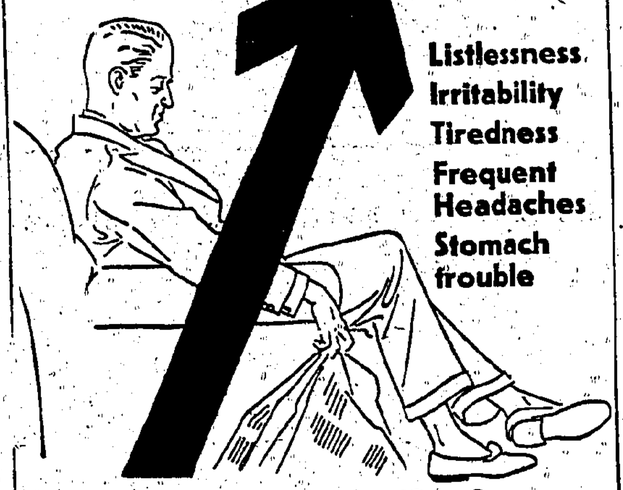

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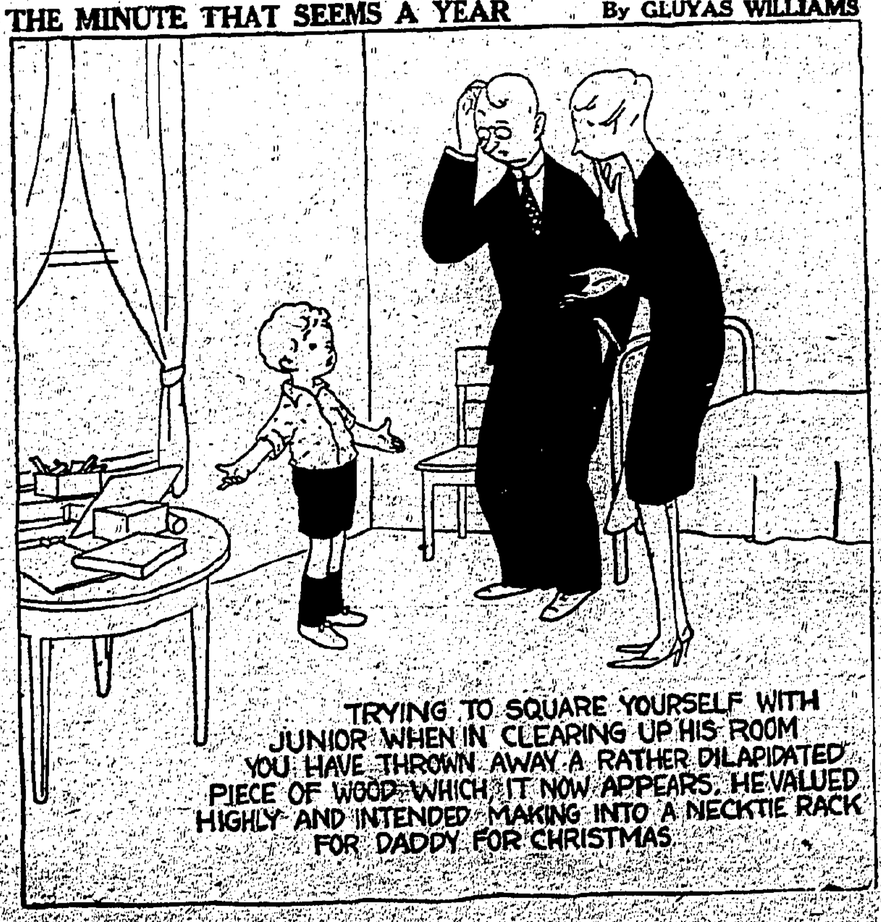
Ten cases of enteric (one fatality) were reported last week. Other cases of notifiable diseases were: diphtheria 1, meningitis 5 (4 deaths); rabies 1 (fatal, imported from Macao). There were 50 deaths from tuberculosis. One case of enteric was reported on Monday.

Sentence of two months' hard labour was passed on an ex-barrister who was charged with loitering in Queen's Road Central. It was stated that the defendant, "squeezed" pockets of pedestrians and intended to pick them, but he was spotted" by a Chinese detective.

THE MINUTE THAT SEEMS A YEAR By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



TRYING TO SQUARE YOURSELF WITH JUNIOR WHEN IN CLEARING UP HIS ROOM YOU HAVE THROWN AWAY A RATHER DILAPIDATED PIECE OF WOOD WHICH IT NOW APPEARS HE VALUED HIGHLY AND INTENDED MAKING INTO A NECKTIE RACK FOR DADDY FOR CHRISTMAS.

MONEY AND MARKETS

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

Hong Kong Stock Exchange — Sharebrokers' Association

Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3.	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
$1,815	...	...	...	H.K. Banks	...	...	...	$1,810
...	...	...	£130	Do. (London)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£15¼	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£15½
...	...	...	£26¼	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£25
...	...	...	£12¼	Do. "C"	...	...	...	£12½
...	...	...	$101	Bank of East Asia	$104	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	$7
...	...	...	$20	Am. O. Fin. Corp. S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4¾	Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$6	Do. Pref. S	...	...	...	...
				Insurances				
$320	...	$330	...	Canton Insurances	...	...	...	$327½
...	...	...	$2.10	Underwriters	...	...	...	$2
$570	...	$575	...	Union Insurances	...	...	...	$570
...	...	...	$595	China Fires	...	...	...	$590
...	...	...	$290	H.K. Fires	...	...	...	$270
...	...	...	$76½	International Assce. S.	...	...	...	...
				Shipping				
$33½	...	...	...	Douglases	...	...	...	$34
...	...	...	$18	Steamboats	...	...	...	$18
...	...	...	$30	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	$30
...	...	...	$35	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$35
...	...	...	56/3	Shells	...	...	...	56/-
...	...	...	$15	Waterboats	...	...	...	$15
				Mining				
...	$1.12	$1.17/20		Amtamoks	...	...	...	$1.17
...	$37	...	...	Balatocs	...	...	...	...
...	...	97 cts.	...	Baguio Gold	...	...	...	90 cts.
...	...	...	$12¼	Benguet Consolidated	...	...	...	$13
...	...	...	50 ct.	Do. Exploration	...	...	55 cts.	...
30 cts.	...	...	...	Do. Goldfield	...	...	...	...
...	...	53 cts.	...	Big Wedge	...	55 cts.	52½/55 cts.	
...	...	...	$9	Gold Creek	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$6½	Ipo Mining	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$7¼	Itogons	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	30/-	Kailans	...	...	...	25/-
...	...	...	$19½	Langkats (single) S.	...	...	...	$18
...	...	...	$4½	Explorations S.	...	...	...	$4½
...	...	...	$6.80	Shanghai Loans S.	...	...	...	$6¾
...	...	...	$12.30	Raubs	...	...	...	$12.70
...	...	...	...	Tronoh Mines	...	...	...	17/6
...	...	...	$5¾	Venezuela Gold Flds.	$5	...	...	...
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
$126	...	...	...	H.K. & K. Wharves	...	...	...	$126
...	...	...	$3.80	Providents (old)	...	...	...	$3¾
...	...	...	$1.35	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$1.40
...	...	...	$16¼	H.K. & W. Docks	...	...	...	$17
...	...	...	$6	S. China Motors 'A'	...	...	...	$5½
...	...	...	$8	Do. "B"	...	...	...	$5½
...	...	...	$148½	Shanghai Docks S.	...	...	...	$148½
...	...	...	$8	New Engineerings S.	...	...	...	$8
...	...	...	$342	Hongkews S.	...	...	...	...
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
$6.90	...	...	...	H.K. Hotels	$6.80	...	...	...
$78	...	...	...	H.K. Lands S.	...	...	...	$80
...	...	...	$33½	Shanghai Lands S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$14	Metropolitan Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$7.85	H.K. Realties	...	...	...	$8
...	...	...	$15½	China Do S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$137	Do. Debentures S.	...	...	...	...
$13.05	$13½	...	...	Humphreys	...	...	...	$13½
...	...	...	...	New Asia Hotel	...	...	...	$5½
...	...	...	$140	Asia Realties "A" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$20	Do. "B" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$17	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
				Cotton Mills				
$14.40	...	...	...	Ewos S.	...	...	...	$14.70
...	...	...	$109	S'hai Cottons S.	...	...	...	$109
...	...	...	$14½	Zoong Sings S.	...	...	...	$14½
...	...	...	$80	Wing On Textiles (S.)	...	...	...	$77
				Public Utilities				
$22½	...	...	...	Tramways	$22.30	...	$22½	...
...	...	...	$15¾	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	$15
...	...	...	$7¾	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$7½
$99	...	...	...	Star Ferries	...	...	...	$99¾
...	...	...	$22	Yaumati Ferries	...	$23	...	...
$11.65	...	...	...	China Lights (old)	$11.70	...	...	...
...	...	...	$11.40	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$11.40
$77½	...	$77¾	...	H.K. Electrics	...	...	...	$78
...	...	...	$23	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10½	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
$34.60	...	...	...	Telephones	$34¾	...	$35	...
...	...	...	$11½	China Buses S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	2/-	Tractions	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	16/-	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	$15	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	$15
...	...	...	$21	Caldbeck, (ord.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$19½	Macgregors (pref.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$6	Canton Ices	...	...	...	$8
...	...	$3.90/95		Cements (comb.)	$3.85	...	$3.90	...
...	...	...	$3½	Do. (old)	$3¾	...	...	...
...	...	...	50 cts	Do. (new)	...	...	...	20 cts.
...	...	...	$7½	Ropes	...	...	...	$7¾
				Miscellaneous				
...	...	$29¾	...	Dairy Farms	$29.60	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1	Der A Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10	Amusements	...	...	...	$9
...	...	...	$10½	Ch. E'tainments	$10	...	...	...
...	...	...	$3½	Constructions, (old)	...	...	...	$3¾
.90 cts.	...	...		Do. (new)	...	...	...	$1
...	...	...	$3.90	Lane Crawfords	...	...	...	$3¾
...	...	...	$21	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	...	...	$4.20
...	...	...	$13½	Sinceres	...	...	...	$13.65
...	$8½	...	...	Watsons	...	...	...	$8½
...	...	...	$2.10	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	$1¾
...	...	...	$10	M. Greyhounds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1½	S. C. Enterprises	...	...	...	$2
...	...	...	$1½	United Theatres S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	78%	B. Ind. G.3 Bonds	77%	...	...	...
2½%	prem.	...	...	H.K. Govt. Loans	$103½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$8	Wallace Harper	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$170	H.K Wing On	...	...	...	$175
...	...	...	...	S'hai Do	...	...	...	$145

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SHANGHAI STOCK MARKET

QUOTATIONS, SEPT. 29

	Buy.	Sell.	Nom.
Bank and Loans			
Am. Or. Fin. "A" $			28½
Am. Or. Fin. "B" „			21
China Finance ... „		4	
H. & S. Bank ... Hk.$	1815		
Int. Inv. Trust... „	13¼		
S'hai Loan & Inv. „	6.95	7.05	
Union Mobiliere. „			26
New „			25
Yangtsze Fin. ... „	11½		
China Bond & Share $			10
Insurances			
A.A.U. (ord.) ... $		24½	
Asia Life Ins. ... „			91
As'ce Franco As. Fcs.			100
Int. Ass. Co. Ltd. $			6½
Union Ins. ... Hk.$			580
Lands			
Anglo-Fr. Land. $			380
Asia Realty "A" „			140
Asia Realty "B" $			20
Cathay Land ... „			16.70
China Realty ... „			15.50
City Realty Co. „	6.75		
Fonciere & Im ... „			270
Metro Lands "A" „			15
Metro Lands "B" „			13½
Realty Inv. "A" „			100
Realty Inv. "B" „			10
S'Sing Properties „			12.40
S'hai Land ... „	33.25		
Tientsin Land T. „			200
West End Estates „			5½
Docks, Wharves Transport			
China Transport. $			9
Marden & Co., Ld. „			
New Eng. (ord.) „			7.86
NewEng. 8% (pref.) „			
S'hai Dock ... „		148	
S. & H. Wharf (old)	350		
„ Wharves (new) „			
S'hai Tugs (ord.) „			
Wheelock ... „	15.60		
Utilities			
C. G. Omnibus ... $			11.30
S'hai Gas Co., Ld. „	134	140	
S'hai Power ... „			
S'hai Telephone. „	59		
Trams. (Reg.) £1 „	47½		
Trams. (Bearer) £1 „	48		
S.W.W. "A" £20 „	505		
S.W.W. "B" £1 „			21
S.W.W. "C" £1 „			22
S.W.W. 7% (Pref.) „			
Miscellaneous			
Auto Palace ... $		10.40	
Baterite Co. 'B' „			19½
Caldbeck Mac... „			21½
Caldbeck (pref.) „			
China Aerocrete. „			7
Chin E. & M. Co. „	22½		
Culty Dairy ... „	50		
Exploration ... „	4.20	4.25	
Fr. Race Course $			69
Fr. R. Course Non „			69
F.R.C. (Founders) „			150
Gen. Forge ... „			6
G'hound Racing „			
G.R. (Founders) „			
Hall & Holtz ... „	30		
H. & S. Hotels... H$	6.80		
Kelly & Walsh... $			14
Lane, Crawford. „			70
Mark L. Moody. „			10
Millington Ltd... „			2.30
Office Appliance. „			7
S'hai Vac. Cleaning „			13.10
S.W.W. Fittings „		3.70	
Union Brewery „		22	
„ (New Issue) „			
United Theatres „	1.25		
Dity Loan ... „			
Bonds and Prefs.			
A. Asiatic Und. 8% $			110
„ „ 7% „			137½
Asia Realty "A" 8% „			95
Asia Realty "B" 8% „			80
Caldbeck, Mac. 6% „			19.30
China Finance 8% „			5.75
City Loan 1932 7% „	102½		
Ewo Mills 8% ... „			192½
New Eng. 8% ... „			8.80
Realty Inv. Co. 7½% „			4.75
S'hai Power (Tls. 6) „	141½		
S'hai Tugs 7% „	72		
S.W.W. 7% „			17.20
S.W.W. 6½% ... „	17		
Cottons			
Ewo-Mills (ord.) $	14½		
S'hai Cotton ... „	107		
Zoong Sing ... „			14½
Plantations			
Alma ... ... $	6		
Anglo-Dutch ... „	2.60		
Anglo-Java ... „	4		
Ayer-Tawah ... „	1.80		
Batu Anam ... „	.40		
Bukit ... „			
Bute ... „			.70
Chempedak ... „			
Chemor United „	.44		
Cheng ... „	.42		
Consolidated ... „	1.30		
Dominion ... „			1.20
Gula Kalumpong „			13½
„ „ (New)			12
Java Cons'ted... „	1.00		
Kapayang ... „	4.25		
Kedah ... „			1.20
Kota Bahroe ... „	.37		
Kroewoek ... „	.47		
Langkat ... „			19
Padang ... „			.47
Pangkalan „			
Permata ... „			2.25
Repah ... „	.46	.48	
Rubber Trust Ld. „			.72½
Samagaga ... „			.39
Semambu „			.20
Senawang ... „	.48	.49	
S'hai-Kelantan.. „			.23
S'hai-Klebang „	.62½	.75	
S'hai-Malay (ord.) „			2.75
S'hai-Malay (pref.) „			5.50
S'hai-Panang ... „	.53		
S'hai-Seremban „	.56		
Sua-Manggis ... „	.50		
Sumatra... „			6¼
Sungala ... „	.75		
Sungei Duri ... „	6.75		
Taiping ... „			
Tanah Merah ... „	.96		
Tebong ... „	.58		
Ziange ... „			5.75

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service.)

On	Sterling Parity	Oct. 1.	October 2.
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.72	7.65
Athens	375 Drachmae	565	560
Belgrade	276,316 Dinars	230	230
Berlin	20.43 Marks	13.05	12.92½
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	1/6 3/64	1/6 3/64
Brussels	35 Belgas	22.31½	22.12½
Bucharest	813,368 Lei	527½	522½
Buenos Aires	47.58d. per Peso	44¾ O.R.	45 O.R.
Copenhagen	18.159 Kroner	22.40	22.40
Geneva	25.22½ Francs	16.05½	15.90
Helsingfors	193.23 Marks	226½	227
Hongkong		1/5 3/16	1/5 3/16
Lisbon	110 Escudos	103	102½
Madrid	25.22½ Pesetas	37 3/16	36 27/32
Milan	92.46 Lire	50½	48 21/16
Montevideo	50.89d. per Peso	37 Nom.	37 Nom.
Montreal	4.867 Dollars	4.84½	4.87½
New York	4.867 Dollars	4.73½	4.78¾
Oslo	18.159 Kroner	19.40	19.90
Paris	124.21 Francs	79 15/32	78 23/32
Prague	164.25 Kronen	140¾	103?
Rio de Janeiro	26.93d. per Gold Milreis	4¾ O.R.	4¾ O.R.
Shanghai		1/3⅜	1/3 7/16
Stockholm	18.159 Kronor	19.40	19.39½
Vienna	34.58½ Schillings	29	29 Nom.
Yokohama	24.58d. per Yen	1/2 3/16	1/2¼
Silver (spot)		18 7/16	18½
Silver (forward)		18½	18
War Loan	3½%	101 3/16	—

Closing Quotations

October 3, 1933.

On London:—
- Telegraphic Transfer... } 1/4⅞
- Bank Bills, on demand }
- Bank Bills, 4 months' sight ... 1/5
- Credits, 4 months' sight ... 1/5⅜

On New York:—
- Bank Bills, on demand 37⅜ nom
- Credits, 60 days' sight.. nom

On Paris:—
- Bank Bills, on demand 552½
- Credits, 4 months' sight 592½

On India:—
- Telegraphic Transfer... } 83½
- Bank, on demand }

On Shanghai:—
- On Demand ... 110½

On Kobe:—
- On demand ... 118⅜

On Manila:—
- On demand ... 67½ mon

On Singapore:—
- On demand ... 60

On Batavia:—
- On demand ... 54½

On Saigon:—
- On demand ... 55½

On Bangkok:—
- On demand ... 132

Sovereigns, Bank Buying Rate ... 1/5½

Bar Silver, per oz ... 18½

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.. REPORT

Messrs. Roza Bros. have forwarded us the following exchange market report for yesterday:—

The price for Ready Silver rose 1/16 yesterday but the Forward rate was unchanged, the quotations being 18½ for Ready and 18.9/16 for Forward. Silver advices reported India as having bought. Offerings were small. The tone at the close was steady. In America the rate was lower at 39⅞ for Spot.

New York advices reported the opening rate at 4.79½ and the closing rate at 4.78¾. The lowest rate done was 4.77½.

Market.

Quiet, the undertone was not robust.

Sterling.

The market opened with sellers at 1/5.7/32, buyers bidding at 1/5 9/32 but subsequently the tone wosed off slightly and offers at 1/5½ were accepted for second half October. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 1/5½ October and 1/5.9/32 November, buyers at 1/32 higher respectively.

U.S. Dollars.

Business was done at 34.5/16 for near delivery. The market closed with sellers at 34½ October and 34.7/16 November, buyers probably at 34.5/16 for cash and 34½ November.

Yen

Merchants were quoted at 120⅜ for near delivery.

Shanghai Dollars.

Shanghai dollars were quoted at 111½ for near delivery.

Shanghai.

Early advices indicated sellers at 1/3½ October but subsequently the market eased off slightly and sellers were indicated at 1/3.7/16, buyers at 1/3½ October.

IN THE AFTERNOON.

The market was quiet in the afternoon.

Sterling.

In sterling no business was reported, finishing with sellers at 1/5¼ October and 1/5.9/32 November, buyers at 1/32 higher respectively.

U.S. Dollars.

Business was reported at 34.5/16 for near and 34.9/16 November. The market closed with sellers at 34½ for near and 34½ November, buyers at 1/16 higher respectively.

CANTON SILK MARKET

From the Kwangtung Raw Silk Testing Bureau, Department of Reconstruction, Canton, China:—

CANTON QUOTATIONS.

September 30.

Extra O.S. 13/15, H.K. $650N.
Small Extra O.S. 13/15, H.K. $570N.

H.K. STOCK MARKET

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Hong Kong Trams were again in strong request to-day, but very few shares seem to be coming out. Hotels and Cements improved their position slightly, and were dealt in fair quantities, specially for the October account.

Sales.

Hong Kong Banks $1,815.
Canton Insurances $330.
Union Insurances, $575.
Antamoks $1.17/1.20.
Baguio Gold 97 cts.
Big Wedge 53 cts.
Hotels $7.
Electrics $77¾.
Telephones $35.
Cements (Combined) $3.90/3.95.
Dairy Farms $29¾.

Buyers.

Canton Insurances $320.
Union Insurances $570.
Douglases $33½.
Benguet Goldfields 30 cts.
Wharves $126.
Ewo Cottons Sh. $14.40.
Hotels $6.90.
Hong Kong Lands $78.
Humphreys $13.05.
Hong Kong Trams $22½.
Star Ferries $99.
China Lights (Old) $11.65.
Electrics $77½.
Constructions (New) 90 cts.
Government Loans 3½ per cent. Premium.

Sellers.

Antamoks $1.10.
Balatocs $37.
Humphreys $13½.
Watsons $8½.

SHANGHAI SHARES

Carroll Bros. Quotations

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have just received the following cabled quotations of Shanghai Shares:—

International Investments	$13.60
Cathay Lands	16.50
Yangtsze Finances	11.60
International Assurances	6.50
China Realties	15.50
Shanghai Lands	33.00
Shanghai Docks and Engineerings	147.50
Shanghai and Hongkew Wharves	348.00
Shanghai Electrics	48.25
Ewo Cottons	14.50
Shanghai Cottons	108.00
Zoong Sing Cottons	14.50
Langkats	18.25
Shanghai Explorations	4.15
Shanghai Loans	6.85

Crack N.S., 14/16, H.K. $475P.
Extra Extra 20/22, H.K. $425P.
Waste N.S. Open, H.K. $95N.

YOKOHAMA QUOTATIONS.

October 2.

Spot, Yen 790.
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Pres. Taft ... Nov. 21, Midnight	Pres. Cleveland ... Nov. 24, Midnight
Pres. Coolidge ... Dec. 5, Midnight	Pres. Jackson ... Dec. 8, Midnight
Pres. Pierce ... Dec. 19, Midnight	Pres. Jefferson ... Dec. 22, Midnight

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Pres. Johnson ... Nov. 11, 8 a.m.	Pres. Garfield ... Dec. 23, 8 a.m.

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Pres. Harrison ... Oct. 14, 8 a.m.	Pres. Hayes ... Oct. 28, 8 a.m.
Pres. McKinley ... Oct. 17, 6 p.m.	Pres. Hoover ... Oct. 31, 6 p.m.
Pres. Jefferson ... Oct. 21, 6 p.m.	Pres. Grant ... Nov. 4, 6 p.m.

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New York: October 2.

Dow Jones Averages:	High—1932	Low: Sept., 30.		Oct., 2.	Change
30 Industrials	108.27	41.22	94.22	92.99	1.83 down
20 Rails	56.53	13.23	40.95	40.16	.76 down
20 Utilities	37.73	16.53	25.61	24.87	.74 down
40 Bonds	89.07	65.78	83.96	83.81	.15 down

Asia Lands, Limited, has received the following report from their New York correspondents, E. A. Pierce & Co. The market continues to show nothing except a lack of interest and we can see nothing except the exercise of patience, waiting until it is possible to get some definite clue. The President's speech before the American Legion Convention today failed to throw any light on his monetary policy.

Wheat: Little interest. The tone was easy. The President's speech disappointed early buyers by not mentioning grain or money.

Cotton: Quiet and featureless. Demand was not sufficient to absorb light hedging.

Silver: The lack of any reference in the President's speech as regards inflation, induced some long liquidation. The market opened higher in sympathy with London.

Business Done: 960,000 shares.

1932 High	Low	Div. $ Per Sh.		Last Sale Sept., 30.	Oct., 2.
105½	30¾	3.00	Air Reduction	$103	$102
142¾	42½	6.00	Allied Chemical & Dye	136½	134
97¼	29⅞	4.00	American Can	89½	87½
42½	5⅝	—	American Smelting	40½	44½
137⅞	70¼	9.00	American Tel. & Tel.	120½	116½
94⅜	44	5.00	American Tobacco "B"	85½	84½
43½	11	1.00	American Waterworks	20¾	20½
22⅞	3	—	Anaconda Copper Mining	15⅝	15⅞
151⅞	28¾	2.00	Auburn	46	46
21¼	4½	—	Bendix Aviation	14⅞	14⅞
43⅜	18	1.60	Borden Company	22	22½
20⅞	7¼	—	Canadian Pacific	14¼	13½
103½	16¼	—	J. I. Case	68⅜	64½
29¼	4⅜	0.50	Caterpillar Co.	19½	19¾
47⅞	17⅜	2.00	Chase National Bank	23½Bid	23½Bid
49⅞	5	1.00	Chrysler Motors	40¾	39⅞
68¾	31½	3.40	Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	41¼	40¾
4¼	⅞	—	Curtiss Wright	2⅛	2½
63½	23	3.00	Drugs, Inc.		
85½	22	2.00	Du Pont de Nemours	75½	73⅞
89¾	35¼	3.00	Eastman Kodak	76½	76¼
32¾	8½	—	Electric Auto-Lite Co.	16½	16
48	5	6% s.	Electric Bond & Share	17½	16
16	2¾	—	Electric Power and Light	6⅜	6⅞
30¼	8½	0.40	General Electric	19⅞	19
40½	19⅝	1.60	General Foods	36½	35
34⅜	7⅞	1.00	General Motors	28¾	27⅞
24¼	10⅜	1.00	Gillette Safety	13½	13
27⅞	8¼	1.20	Gold Dust	20	20
46	10⅞	0.60	International Harvester	36⅜	36½
21⅞	2⅝	—	International Tel. & Tel.	13	12½
97⅞	34⅜	4.00	Liggett & Myers "B"	94	94½
37⅞	8½	1.00	Loew's Inc.	30½	30
29⅞	3½	—	Montgomery Ward	19⅞	18⅞
60⅜	20½	2.80	National Biscuit	51¼	48⅞
64½	18¾	1.00	National City Bank	26¾Bid	25¼Bid
31⅜	10½	1.20	National Dairy Products	14	14½
25¼	9	0.60	Otis Elevator	14	14
37	16⅞	2.00	Pacific Gas & Electric	21½	21½
6⅞	1½	—	Packard Motors	4	3¾
49¼	6½	0.50	Pennsylvania Railway	29½	28½
13⅜	2½	—	Radio Corpn.	7⅜	7¼
47	9⅞	—	Sears Roebuck	39½	38¼
37⅞	8⅜	1.00	Standard Brands	24⅛	23¾
34¼	5⅞	—	Standard Gas	10½	10½
41⅜	19⅞	1.00	Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	39⅞	39¾
15¼	5¼	—	Socony-Vacuum Corpn.	11¼	11½
28⅜	9⅜	1.00	Texas Corporation	26½	25¼
9⅜	2½	—	Trans-America	6	6
51⅞	15¼	1.00	Union Carbide & Carbon	42	40¾
132	27⅞	6.00	Union Pacific	112	107
46⅞	6¼	—	United Air and Transport	30	29½
14¼	3½	0.40	United Corporation	6	6
67⅝	21¼	—	United States Steel	45	44¼
58⅜	15⅝	—	Westinghouse E. & M.	35¼	34½

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SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SINKIANG"	... On 4th Oct.,	10 a.m.
SWATOW & AMOY	"ANHUI"	... On 4th Oct.,	1 p.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	... On 4th Oct.,	5 p.m.
SHANGHAI, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"LIANGCHOW"	... On 4th Oct.,	5 p.m.
HOIHOW & HAIPHONG	"KIUNGCHOW"	... On 6th Oct.,	Noon
NINGPO, SHANGHAI, DAIREN & NEWCHWANG	"TEAN"	... On 6th Oct.,	5 p.m.
SHANGHAI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"KANCHOW"	... On 7th Oct.,	5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SUNNING"	... On 8th Oct.,	Noon
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KALGAN"	... On 8th Oct.,	3 p.m.
AMOY, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANHUI"	... On 10th Oct.,	8 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SUIYANG"	... On 10th Oct.,	Noon
HOIHOW & BANGKOK	"KWANGTUNG"	... On 11th Oct.,	Noon
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	... On 11th Oct.,	5 p.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HOIHOW"	... On 12th Oct.,	2 p.m.
HOIHOW & HAIPHONG	"YINGCHOW"	... On 12th Oct.,	2 p.m.
SHANGHAI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"CHUNGKING"	... On 12th Oct.,	5 p.m.
DAIREN & NEWCHWANG	"CHINHUA"	... On 13th Oct.,	5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SZECHUEN"	... On 14th Oct.,	2 p.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWEIYANG"	... On 15th Oct.,	3 p.m.
HOIHOW & HAIPHONG	"KINGYUAN"	... On 20th Oct.,	3 p.m.

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Liangchow, B. & S., Oct. 4.
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Hai Yang, Douglas', Oct. 6.
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JAPAN (Direct).

Protesilaus, B. & S., Oct. 5.
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Japan and Shanghai.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 4.
Rawalpandi, P. & O., Oct. 4.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), Oct. 5.
Akita Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 6.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.R., Oct. 6.
Burdwan, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., Oct. 7.
Achilles, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Oct. 10.
Hilda, Dodwell's, Oct. 12
Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., Oct. 13.
Vogtland, Jebsen's, Oct. 14.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15
Eumaeus, B. & S., Oct. 17.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Comorin, P. & O., Oct. 19.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 19.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 20.
Tungsha, Thorsen's Oct. 22.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, Oct. 24.
Pres. Jefferson, Dollar's, Oct. 27.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 31.

Newchwang.

Tean, B. & S., Oct. 6.

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Tean, B. & S., Oct. 6.

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Achilles, B. & S., Oct. 8.

SHANGHAI AND WAY PORTS.

Chak Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 4.
Liangchow, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Sinkiang, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Tai Yuan, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Oct. 4.
Tean, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Kanchow, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Foo Shing, Jardine's, Oct. 8.
Hermod, Thoresen's Oct. 8.
Sunning, B. & S., Oct. 8.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 10.
Sui Yang, B. & S., Oct. 10.
Kwai Sang, Jardine's Oct. 11.
Tsinan, B. & S., Oct. 11.
Chungking, B. & S., Oct. 12.
Antenor, B. & S., Oct. 14.
Norviken, Jardine's, Oct. 15.
Maron, B. & S., Oct. 16.
Selandia, Manners', Oct. 16.
Machson, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Athos, Messageries', Oct. 24.
Ajax, B. & S., Oct. 27.

Swatow.

Chak Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 4.
Sinkiang, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Hai Yang, Douglas', Oct. 6.
Foo Shing, Jardine's, Oct 8.
Hermod, Thoresen's, Oct. 8.
Hoihow, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Kalgan, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Sunning, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Anhui, B. & S., Oct. 9
Haiching, Douglas', Oct. 10.
Sui Yang, B. & S., Oct. 10.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, Oct. 10.
Kwai Sang, Jardine's Oct. 11.
Hiram, Thoresen's, Oct. 15.
Norviken, Jardine's, Oct. 15.
Muinam, Manners', Oct. 20.
Hellas, Thoresen's, Oct. 22.
Helios, Thoresen's, Oct. 29.

Tientsin.

Liangchow, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Kanchow, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Hoihow, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, Oct. 10.
Chungking, B. & S., Oct. 12.

Tsingtao.

Chak Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 4.
Sinkiang, B. & S., Oct. 4.
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Kwai Sang, Jardine's Oct. 11.
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Liangchow, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Hoihow, B. & S., Oct. 8.

EASTWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA

Boston and New York.

Toba Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 9.
Cingalese Prince, Furness', Oct. 14
Tai Yang, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.

Halifax.

Cingalese Prince, Furness', Oct. 14.
Silvercypress, Furness', Oct. 28.

Honolulu.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 4.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.R., Oct. 6.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Oct. 10.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, Oct. 24.

Los Angeles

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct 4.
Roseville, Bank Line, Oct. 5.
Selandia, Manners', Oct. 16.
Tai Yang, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
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Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 4.
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Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Oct. 10.
Selandia, Manners', Oct. 16.
Tai Yang, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
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Seattle.

Protesilaus, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., Oct. 13.
Selandia, Manners', Oct. 16.
Ixion, B. & S., Oct. 26.
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Selandia, Manners', Oct. 16
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Protesilaus, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.R., Oct. 6.
Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., Oct. 13.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 20.
Ixion, B. & S., Oct. 26.
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SOUTHWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.

Changte, B. & S., Oct. 20.

Bali.

Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 31.

Bangkok.

Hermod, Thoresen's Oct. 8.
Kalgan, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Hiram, Thoresen's, Oct. 15.
Muinam, Manners', Oct. 20.
Hellas, Thoresen's, Oct. 22.
Helios, Thoresen's, Oct. 29.

Batavia.

Tjisalak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 10.
Cingalese Prince, Furness', Oct. 14.
Tjisondari, J.C.J.L., Oct. 24.

Brisbane.

Changte, B. & S., Oct. 20.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.

Cairns.

Changte, B. & S., Oct. 20.

Davao.

Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.

Haiphong.

Kiungchow, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Yingchow, B. & S., Oct. 12.

Hoihow.

Kiungchow, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Yingchow, B. & S., Oct. 12.

Macassar.

Cingalese Prince, Furness', Oct. 14.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 31.

Malabar West

Rhexenor, B. & S., Oct. 8.

Manila.

Rhexenor, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 11.
Cingalese Prince, Furness', Oct. 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Changte, B. & S., Oct. 20.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.
Silvercypress, Furness', Oct. 28.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Oct. 31.
Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 31.

Menado.

Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Oct. 4.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.

Melbourne.

Changte, B. & S., Oct. 20.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.

Rabaul.

Bremerhaven, Melchers', Oct. 24.

Semarang.

Cingalese Prince, Furness', Oct. 14.

Sandakan.

Mau Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 11.
Hin Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 25.

Saurabaya.

Cingalese Prince, Furness', Oct. 14.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 31.

Sydney.

Changte, B. & S., Oct. 20.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.

Thursday Island.

Changte, B. & S., Oct. 20.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.

Townsville.

Changte, B. & S., Oct. 20.

WESTWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.

Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
Meriones, B. & S., Oct. 11.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Soudan, P. & O., Oct. 14
Mantua, P. & O., Oct. 21.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 24.
Patroclus, B. & S., Oct. 25.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.

Alexandria.

Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.

Algiers.

Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.

Amsterdam.

Trave, Melchers', Oct. 8.
Trier, Melchers', Oct. 24.

Antwerp.

Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.

Barcelona.

Duisburg, Jebsen's, Oct. 9.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.
Trier, Melchers', Oct. 24.

Beyrouth.

Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

Bombay.

Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.

Boston and New York.

Rhexenor, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.

Bremen.

Trave, Melchers', Oct. 8.
Trier, Melchers', Oct. 24.

Calcutta.

Kum Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 7.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), Oct. 14.
Sui Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 23.

Casablanca.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Soudan, P. & O., Oct. 14.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.

Colombo.

Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Soudan, P. & O., Oct. 14
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct 16.
Mantua, P. & O., Oct. 21.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 24.
Patroclus, B. & S., Oct. 25.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.

Copennagen.

Denmark, Manners', Oct. 22.

Djibouti.

Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 24.

Dover.

Trier, Melchers', Oct. 24.

Dunkirk.

Denmark, Manners', Oct. 22.

Genoa.

Duisburg, Jebsen's, Oct. 9.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Trier, Melchers', Oct. 24.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, Oct. 30.

Glasgow.

Meriones, B. & S., Oct. 11.
Patroclus, B. & S., Oct. 25.

Gibraltar.

Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.

Hamburg.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Trave, Melchers', Oct. 8.
Duisburg, Jebsen's, Oct. 9.
Meriones, B. & S., Oct. 11.
City of Bagdad, Bank Line, Oct. 14.
Preussen, Jebsen's, Oct. 16.
Denmark, Manners', Oct. 22.
Trier, Melchers', Oct. 24.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, Oct. 30.

Havre.

City of Bagdad, Bank Line, Oct. 14.

Hull.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Oct. 4
Soudan, P. & O., Oct. 14.

Istanbul

Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

Italy.

Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 12.

Lisbon.

Trier, Melchers', Oct. 24.

Liverpool.

Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

London.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Meriones, B. & S., Oct. 11.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell', Oct. 12.
City of Bagdad, Bank Line, Oct. 14.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Soudan, P. & O., Oct. 14
Mantua, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Patroclus, B. & S., Oct. 25.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.

Malta.

Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7.

Marseilles.

Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Trave, Melchers', Oct. 8.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
Meriones, B. & S., Oct. 11.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Soudan, P. & O., Oct. 14
Preussen, Jebsen's, Oct. 16.
Mantua, P. & O., Oct. 21.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 24.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.
Patroclus, B. & S., Oct. 25
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.

Naples.

Cingalese Prince, Furness', Oct. 14.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.
Silvercypress, Furness', Oct. 28.

Oran.

Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.

Oslo.

Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.

Otaru.

Soudan, P. & O., Oct. 14

Penang.

Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7
Kum Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 7.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Soudan, P. & O., Oct 14.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), Oct. 14.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Oct. 18.
Mantua, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Sui Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 23.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 24.
Patroclus, B. & S., Oct. 25.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.

Piraeus.

Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

Rangoon.

Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Oct. 18

Rotterdam.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Trave, Melchers', Oct. 8.
Duisburg, Jebsen's, Oct. 9.
Meriones, B. & S., Oct. 11.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
City of Bagdad, Bank Line, Oct. 14.
Preussen, Jebsen's, Oct. 16.
Denmark, Manners', Oct. 22.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.
Patroclus, B. & S., Oct. 25.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.

Saigon.

Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 24.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports.

Denmark, Manners', Oct. 22

Singapore.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Kum Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 7.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.
Rhexenor, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Trave, Melchers', Oct. 8.
Anhui, B. & S., Oct. 9.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
Meriones, B. & S., Oct. 11.
ango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Soudan, P. & O., Oct 14.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), Oct. 14.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Oct. 18.
Mantua, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Denmark, Manners', Oct. 22.
Sui Sang, Jardine's, Oct. 23.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 24.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.
Patroclus, B. & S., Oct. 25.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.

Suez.

Trave, Melchers', Oct. 8.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Oct. 14.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Oct. 24.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 28.

Tripoli.

Lasmedon, B. & S., Oct. 3.

United Kingdom and Continent.

City of Bagdad, Bank Line, Oct. 14.
Denmark, Manners', Oct. 22.

Valencia.

Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

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	"KWAISANG"	Wed., 11th Oct., at 10 a.m.
	"NORVIKEN"	Sun., 15th Oct., at 10 a.m
OSAKA via AMOY, S'HAI & KOBE	"KUTSANG"	Thurs., 19th Oct., at 7 a.m
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SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUMSANG"	Tues., 10th Oct., at Noon
	"SUISANG"	Tues., 24th Oct., at 4 p.m.
SANDAKAN	"MAUSANG"	Wed., 11th Oct., at 4 p.m.
	"HINSANG"	Wed., 25th Oct., at 4 p.m.
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, FOOCHOW & CHEFOO	"HANGSANG"	Wed., 4th Oct., at 10 a.m.
	"YATSHING"	Wed., 11th Oct., at 10 a.m.

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Antenor, B. & S., October 14.
Athos, Messageries', Oct. 24.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 29.
Bremerhaven, Melchers', Oct. 16.
Canton, Gilman's, Oct. 20.
Changte, B. & S., October 13.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Oct. 10.
Chitral, P. & O., Nov. 2.
Cingalese Prince, Furness, Oct. 14.
City of Corinth, Bank Line, Oct. 17.
City of Winnipeg, Bank Line, Nov. 7.
Comorin, P. & O., October 19.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 12.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 6.
D'Artagnan, Messageries, Oct. 10.
Donau, Melchers', Oct. 5.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.R., October 11.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Oct. 27.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 4.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Nov. 9.
Eumaeus, B. & S., Oct. 17.
Fulda, Melchers', Oct. 20.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Oct. 17.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 10.
Hector, B. & S. Nov. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 28.
Ixion, B. & S., October 18.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct 20.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 13.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Machson, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Maron, B. & S., Oct. 16.
Menelaus, B. & S., Nov. 5.
Menestheus, B. & S., Nov. 24.
Meriones, B. & S., Oct. 10.
Nagaria, Gilman's, Nov. 1.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 7.
Nellore, E. A S. S.S. Co., October 7.
Phemius, B. & S., Nov. 13.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, October 13.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, Oct. 27.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, Oct. 6.
Pres. Madison, A.M.L., Oct. 6.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, Oct. 16.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 22.
Ranchi, P. & O., Nov. 10.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), Oct. 18.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., October 4.
Silvercypress, Furness', Oct. 28.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 31.
Soudan, P. & O., Oct. 14.
Tai Yang, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), Nov. 1.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), Oct. 12.
Tancred, Thoresen's, Oct. 23.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 4.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.
Tantalus, B. & S., Nov. 6.
Tefresias, B. & S., Nov. 20.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), Oct. 3.
Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 18.
Tjikembang, J.C.J.L., Oct. 25.
Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., Nov. 1.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., Nov. 5.
Tjisaroea, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Oct. 4.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 15.
Trave, Melchers', Oct. 5.
Tunesia, Thoresen's, Oct. 22.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Nov. 29.
Vogtland, Jebsen's, Oct. 18.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 26.

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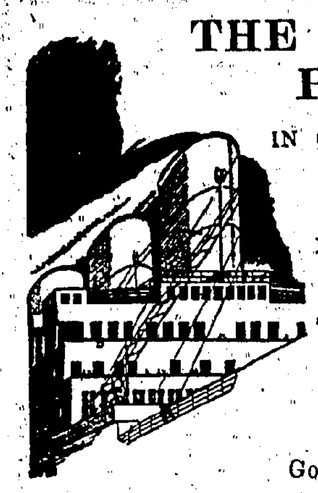

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ASAMA MARU	Wednesday,	1st Nov., at 10 a.m.

SEATTLE & VANCOUVER.

HIKAWA MARU ...(Starts from Kobe)	Saturday,	21st Oct.
HIYE MARU ... ...(Starts from Kobe)	Saturday,	11th Nov.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM via Singapore, Penang, Colombo and Suez.

KASHIMA MARU	Saturday,	14th Oct.
YASUKUNI MARU	Friday,	27th Oct.
HAKONE MARU ...	Saturday,	11th Nov.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

TAMO MARU	Saturday,	21st Oct.
KITANO MARU	Saturday,	25th Nov.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

TANGO MARU	Wednesday,	11th Oct.
† PENANG MARU	Sunday,	29th Oct.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

RAKUYO MARU	Wednesday,	8th Nov.

NEW YORK via Panama.

† TOBA MARU	Monday.	9th Oct.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa and Valencia.

† LIMA MARU	Sunday,	15th Oct.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

† NAGATO MARU	Sunday,	8th Oct.
† MORIOKA MARU	Sunday,	15th Oct.

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CHENONCEAUX	... 10th Oct.	D'ARTAGNAN	... 10th Oct.
D'ARTAGNAN	24th Oct.	ATHOS II	... 24th Oct.
ATHOS II	... 7th Nov.	ARAMIS	... 8th Nov.
ARAMIS	... 21st Nov.	ANDRE LEBON	... 22nd Nov.
ANDRE LEBON	... 5th Dec.	FELIX ROUSSEL	... 4th Dec.
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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 12,460 TONS; THROUGH CARGO 16,760 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports.
British		
Laomedon, Shanghai	—	3,100
Carnarvonshire, Singapore	840	3,048
Cape St. Francis, Hoihow	—	1,250
Sui Sang, Singapore	1,305	1,157
Kaitangata, Keelung	1,950	—
Chak Sang, Canton	—	767
Fooshing, Swatow	763	1,505
Lyeemoon, Saigon	2,600	—
	7,458	10,827
Dutch		
Tjisadane, Amoy	—	1,208
Siberoet, Canton	—	—
	—	1,208
Swedish.		
Shantung, Shanghai	—	3,350
	—	3,350
American.		
President Coolidge, Shanghai	1,001	1,377
	1,001	1,377
Japanese		
Heinan Maru, Moji	4,010	—
	4,010	—
Total	12,469	16,762

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Cape St. Francis (British), Hoihow 340
Kaitangata (British), Keelung 1
Fooshing (British), Swatow ... 5
Lyeemoon (British), Saigon..... 417
Tjisadane (Dutch), Amoy 348
President Coolidge (American), Shanghai 461
Total.....1,572

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	8	5
American	1	0
Dutch	2	0
Swedish	1	1
Norwegian	0	2
Japanese	1	1
Chinese	0	3
Total	13	12

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant ships were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves.

Kowloon:—President Coolidge, Carnarvonshire, Vinemoor, Sui Sang.
Douglas Lapraik:—Haining.
Saikong:—Wing On.

Docks.

Kowloon:—Hang Sang, Silveryew, Marley.
Taikoo:—Tean, Tchekam, Tahchee, Hoi Sui, Chichibu Maru, Kalgan, Tatsuta Maru.

Buoys.

No. A1.—Glengarry.
No. A5.—Kwangchow.
No. A6.—Seattle.
No. A7.—Tjisadane.
No. A8.—Laomedon.
No. A11.—Heinan Maru.
No. B2.—Chak Sang.
No. B3.—Kiungchow.
No. B4.—Ou Chao.
No. B5.—Taiyuan.
No. B9.—Fingal.
No. B10.—Feng Lee.
No. B11.—Lyeemoon.
No. B14.—Liangchow.
No. B16.—Solviken.
No. B20.—Sinkiang.
No. C1.—Eng Lee.

CLEARANCES

October 3.

Beechpark, for Dairen.
Fooshing, for Canton.
Carnarvonshire, for Shanghai.
Hai Ning, for Swatow.
Laomedon, for Singapore.
President Coolidge, for Manila.
Prominent for Samarinda.
Siberoet, for Beraoe.
Siljested, for Tarakan.
Solviken, for Saigon.
Tjisadane, for Manila.
Wing Wo, for K. C. Wan.

ARRIVALS

October 2.

President Coolidge, American str., 13,029 tons, Captain W. A. Ahlin, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—Dollar Line.
Sui Sang, British str., 1,063 tons, Capt. C. M. Boas, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—J. M. and Co.
Tatsuta Maru, Japanese str., 10,017 tons, Capt. S. Ito, from Shanghai, Taikoo Dock.—N.Y.K.

October 3.

Carnarvonshire, British str., 5,965 ton, Capt. W. J. Ings, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—J. M. and Co.
Chak Sang, British str., 1,470 tons, Capt. R. J. S. Hopkins, from Canton, buoy No. B2.—J. M. and Co.
Glengarry, British str., 5,843 tons, Capt. I. Angier, from Shanghai, Kowloon, Wharf.—J. M. and Co.
Haldis, British str., 1,144 tons, Capt. A. Hall, from Swatow, buoy No. C1.—W. Fat Shing.
Kiungchow, British str., 1,545 tons, Capt. J. Taylor, from Swatow, buoy No. B3.—B. and S.
Lyeemoon, British str., 1,734 tons, Capt. E. Holmes, from Saigon, buoy No. B11.—Wo Fat Shing.
Pronto, Norwegian str., 1,283 tons, Capt. Bj. Moller, from Swatow, buoy No. B17.—K. Larsen and Co.
Prominent, Norwegian str., 1,377 tons, Capt. H. Jensen, from Canton, Yaumati.—Kwong Sang Loong.

BREAKING UP WAVES

Successful Tests At Sebastopol

Sebastopol, Sept. 22.

The construction of the first section of the pneumatic wave-breaker for the port of Sebastopol has been completed. A test has been made, with waves reaching one metre in height, and proved successful.

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THE N.Y.K.

London Branch Moves

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COLLISION AT SEA

A resolution in the following terms has been adopted by the National Maritime Board respecting the draft international convention on penal jurisdiction in collision cases which is to be debated at a meeting of the Comite Maritime International:—

"That in connection with the draft of an international convention on penal jurisdiction in matters of collision which, shortly, is finally to be debated upon at Oslo we, the National Maritime Board, representing the shipowners, officers, and seamen of this country, see no useful purpose in the adoption of this proposed international convention. We see no real reason or justification for it, and it would impose additional and unnecessary anxieties on those serving in merchant ships. We trust, therefore, that the British Representative at Oslo will do everything in their power to prevent the adoption of this proposed international convention".

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The P. and O. s.s. Rawalpindi left Singapore for this port on September 30 at noon, with the outward English mails, and is due here this (Wednesday) morning at about 10 o'clock.

The P. and O. s.s. Burdwan, left Singapore for this port on the 2nd inst. at 6 p.m., and is due here on the 7th inst. at about 6 a.m.

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"MANTUA"	11,000	21st Oct.	Marseilles and London.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	4th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
†"BURDWAN"	6,500	11th Nov.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
"COMORIN"	15,000	18th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"CHITRAL"	15,000	2nd Dec.	do.
†"SOMALI"	6,800	9th Dec.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"RANCHI"	17,000	16th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	30th Dec.	do.
*"BANGALORE"	6,000	6th Jan.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
"NALDERA"	16,000	13th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"CORFU"	15,000	27th Jan.	do.
*"BHUTAN"	6,000	3rd Feb.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
*"BEHAR"	6,000	17th Feb.	Bombay, Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"COMORIN"	15,000	10th Mar.	Marseilles and London.
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"TILAWA"	10,000	5th Oct., 6 a.m.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
*"BURDWAN"	6,100	8th Oct.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"NELLORE"	7,000	12th Oct.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"SANTHIA"	8,000	20th Oct.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"COMORIN"	15,000	20th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'hama.
*"SOMALI"	6,800	1st Nov.	do.
"CHITRAL"	15,000	3rd Nov.	do.
"RANCHI"	17,000	17th Nov.	do.
*"BANGALORE"	6,000	30th Nov.	do.
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	1st Dec.	do.
"NALDERA"	16,000	15th Dec.	do.
"CORFU"	15,000	29th Dec.	do.
"RANPURA"	17,000	12th Jan.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	26th Jan.	do.
"COMORIN"	15,000	9th Feb.	do.
"CHITRAL"	15,000	23rd Feb.	do.
"RANCHI"	17,000	9th Mar.	do.
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	23rd Mar.	do.
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From October 4, to 10.1933.

Days of Week.	Date of Month.	High Waters. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	Low Waters. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.
		a m	ft. in.	h m.	ft. in.
Wed	4	09 33	6 6	03 05	2 2
		21 56	6 6	15 21	2 5
Thur	5	10 19	6 2	03 49	2 0
		22 22	6 9	15 47	2 8
Fri	6	10 59	5 6	04 30	1 9
		21 45	7 0	16 07	3 1
Sat.	7	11 40	5 1	05 15	1 9
		21 09	7 1	16 21	3 4
Sun.	8	12 39	4 6	06 05	2 1
		23 30	7 0	18 30	3 6
Mon.	9	13 20	4 1	07 02	2 3
		23 55	6 9	18 29	3 8
Tues.	10	—	—	08 10	2 5
		14 50	3 8	18 01	3 7

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, October 3.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer	29.91	29.91	29 85
Temperature	81	80	81
Humidity	84	86	82
Wind—			
Direction	E	ENE	E
Force	5	4	5
Weather	O	O	O
Rain	0.37	0.00	1.1

Highest open-air Temperature, 2.83
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B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning, M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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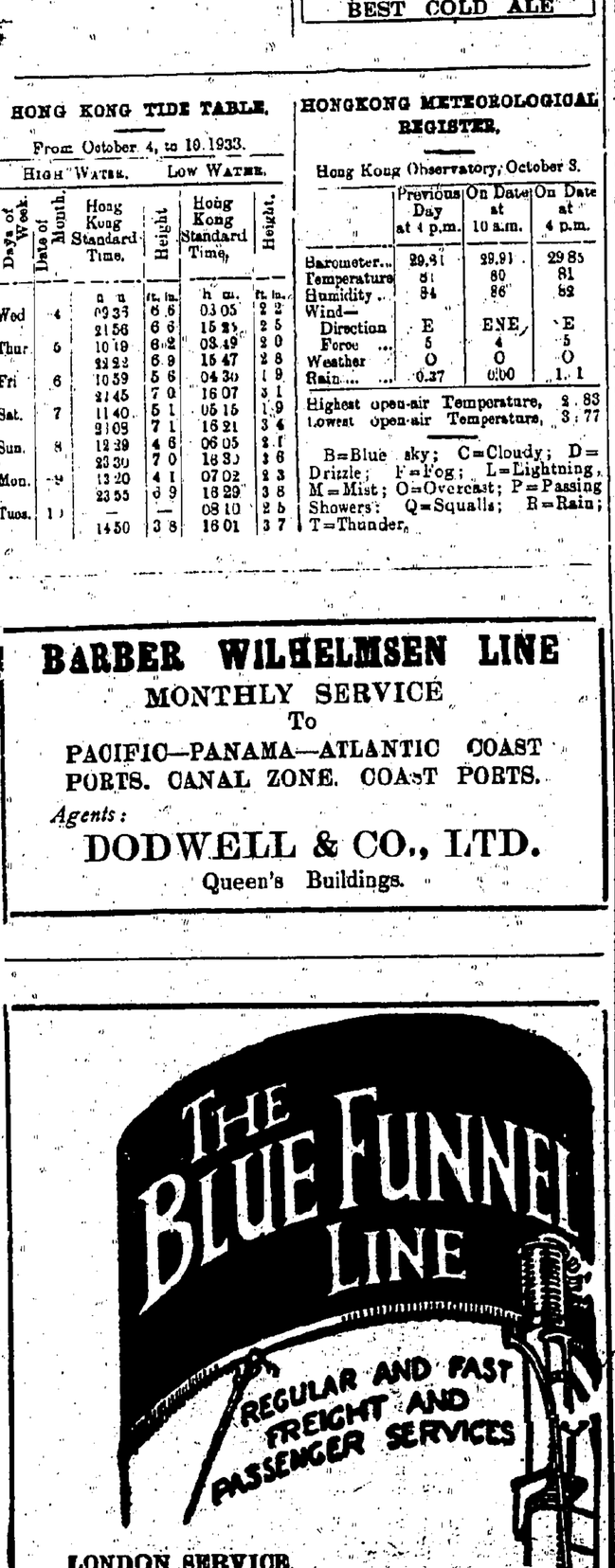

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Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-up... $20,000,000
Reserve Funds:—
Sterling $6,500,000
Silver $10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

Head Office: Hong Kong.

Board of Directors:
T. E. Pearce, Esq., Chairman.
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J. A. Plummer, Esq.
Acting Chief Manager:
L. N. Murphy, Esq

Branches:—

Amoy	Iloilo	Peiping
Bangkok	Ipoh	Penang
Batavia	Johore	Rangoon
Bombay	Kobe	Saigon
Calcutta	Kowloon	San Francisco
Canton	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
Chefoo	London	Singapore
Colombo	Lyons	Sourabaya
Dairen	Malacca	Sungei Patani
Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Haiphong	Muar (Johore)	Tokyo
Hamburg	Mukden	Tsingtao
Hankow	New York	Yokohama
Harbin		

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local Currency and Sterling on terms which will be quoted on application.
Hong Kong, 22nd May, 1933.

HONG KONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.
For the Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,
L. N. MURPHY,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 24th April, 1933.

THE CHASE BANK.

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HEAD OFFICE:
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An American Bank offering complete Foreign Banking Service in the principal Markets of the world.
Interest Rates on Application.

This Bank is entirely owned by The Chase National Bank, New York, with Resources over U.S. $1,856,290,380.76.

D. M. BIGGAR,
Manager.

THE BANK OF CANTON, LTD.

Head Office: Hong Kong.

Hong Kong Currency
Authorized Capital..H.K. $11,000,00
Paid-up Capital 8,665,
Reserve Fund 1,150,00
Branches:—
Canton, Shanghai, Hankow, Bangkok and San Francisco.
London Bankers:—
The Lloyds Bank, Ltd.
Correspondents.
In all Principal Cities of the World
Foreign Exchange and Bankin Business of every descriptio transacted.
Safe Deposit Boxes (various sizes at a Yearly Rental of from $5 $40.

LOOK POONG SHAN,
17] Manager.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Head Office:—
15, Gracechurch Street, London, E.C. 3.

Authorized Capital £3,000,000
Subscribed Capital £1,800,000
Paid-up Capital £1,050,000
Reserve Fund and Rest ... £1,246,735

Bankers:
The Bank of England
and
Midland Bank, Ltd.
Branches:

Bangkok	Kandy	Madras
Bombay	Karachi	New York
Calcutta	Kota Bharu	Penang
Colombo	Kuala Lipis	Port Louis
Delhi	(Pahang)	(Mauritius)
Galle	Kuala Lumpur	Rangoon
Hong Kong	Kuantan (Pahang)	Shanghai
Howrah		Simla
Ipoh		Singapore

Hong Kong Branch:
Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Travellers Cheques issued.
Trustee and Executorships undertaken.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at Rates that may be ascertained on application.

J. B. ROSS,
Manager.
7, Queen's Road Central,
Hong Kong, July 13th, 1933.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter, 1853

Head Office: London.

Paid-up Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors £3,000,000

Agencies and Branches:—

Alor Star	Iloilo	Saigon
Amritsar	Ipoh	Semarang
Bangkok	Karachi	Shemtan
Batavia	Klang	Shanghai
Bombay	Kobe	Singapore
Calcutta	Kuala	Sitiawan
Canton	Lumpur	Sourabaya
Cawnpore	Kuching	Taiping
Cebu	Madras	Tientsin
Colombo	Manila	Tongkah (Shahtai)
Delhi	Medan	Tsingtao
Haifong	New York	Yokohama
Hamburg	Peking (Peking)	Zamboanga
Hankow	Penang	
Harbin	Rangoon	
Hong Kong		

Foreign Exchange and General Banking Business transacted.
Current Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. Brearley,
Manager.
Hong Kong, Nov. 17th, 1932. [30

BANQUE FRANCO-CHINOISE POUR LE COMMERCE ET L'INDUSTRIE

(Incorporated in France)
Prince's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hong Kong.

Head Office:
74, Rue St. Lazare, Paris.

	Frs.
Capital, fully paid-up	50,000,000
Special Working Capital.	50,000,000
Reserves	33,352,000

Branches:—

Paris	Lyon	Marseilles
Saigon	Haiphong	Hanoi
Tourane	Pnom Penh	Hue
Peiping,	Shanghai	Tientsin
	Hong Kong	

Bankers:
France: Banque de Paris et des Pays Bas, Société Générale.
London: Midland Bank, Ltd.
New York: Irving Trust Co., Banca Commerciale Italiana.
San Francisco: Bank of America, National Trust and Savings Association.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Correspondents throughout the World.

A. L. BRUSSET,
Acting Manager.
Hong Kong, 7th Feb., 1933

NEDERLANDSCH INDISCHE HANDELSBANK, N.V.

(Netherlands India Commercial Bank)
Established 1863 at Amsterdam.

Authorised Capital .. Glds. 100 000,000.00
Paid up Capita. ...Glds 55 00.000.00
Reserve Fun ..... Glds. 29, .000.00

Head Office:—Amsterdam.
Head Office for Asia:—Batavia.

Branches in Dutch East Indies India, Singapore, China and Japan.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Current Accounts, Deposits, etc.

J. M. MORHAUS,
Actg. Manager.

BANK OF CHINA.

Reorganized October 26, 1928, under special charter of The National Government as an
INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK.

Subscribed Capital $25,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $24,710,200.00
Reserve Funds 3,820,503.82

Head Office:—Shanghai.

Hong Kong Branch:
4, Queen's Road Central.

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SHOU J. CHEN,
Manager.

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Head Office.
65, Broadway, New York

Capital ..... U.S.$6,000,000.00
Surplus ..... U.S.$1,867,089.17
Reserves ..... U.S.$1,718,979.67

Branches:—

Amsterdam	Glasgow	Munich
Antwerp	Hamburg	Naples
Assuan	Havana	Nice
Athens	Havre	Palermo
Basle	Heidelberg	Paris
Berlin	Interlaken	Peiping
Bombay	Istanbul	Piraeus
Bremen	Jerusalem	Rome
Brussels	Liverpool	Rotterdam
Cairo	London	Shanghai
Calcutta	Lucerne	Singapore
Cannes	Lugano	Southampton
Colombo	Luxor	Taormina
Copenhagen	Manila	Tientsin
Dublin	Marseilles	Venice
Edinburgh	Mexico City	Vienna
Florence	Milan	Yokohama
Geneva	Monte Carlo	Zurich
Genoa	Montreux	

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All classes of Commercial Banking Transactions undertaken.
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E. W. DUGGAN,
Manager.

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED.

Head Office: Hong Kong.

No. 12, Des Voeux Road, Central.
Established: 1918.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 5,598,600.00
Reserve and Undivided Profits 2,312,000.00

Board of Directors:—
Sir Shouson Chow, Chairman.
Li Koon Chun, Esq.
P. K. Kwok, Esq.
Wong Yun Tong, Esq.
Chan Ching Shek, Esq.
Li Lan Sang, Esq.
Pun Hiu Cho, Esq.
Wong Chu Son, Esq.
Kan Ying Po, Esq.

Kan Tong Po, Esq., Chief Manager.
Li Tse Fong, Esq., Manager.

Correspondents in all principal cities of the World.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.
Safe Deposit Boxes To Let.

KANGTONG PO,
Chief Manager.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

Capital (fully paid up) Yen 100,000,000
Reserve Fund ..... Yen 121, 50,000

Head Office: Yokohama.

Branches and Agencies at:

Alexandria	Honolulu	Rangoon
Batavia	Hsinking	Rio de Janeiro
Berlin	Karachi	San Francisco
Bombay	Kobe	Seattle
Calcutta	London	Semarang
Canton	Los Angeles	Shanghai
Dairen	Manila	Shimonoseki
(Dalny)	Nagasaki	Singapore
Feugtien-	Nagoya	Soerabaya
(Mukden)	Newchwang	Sydney
Hamburg	New York	Tientsin
Hankow	Osaka	Tokyo
Harbin	Paris	Tsingtao
Hong Kong	Peiping	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts.
Deposits received for Fixed Periods at rates to be obtained on application.

H. MORI, Manager.
Hong Kong, September 11, 1933. [35

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Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Swatow	*Sussang* ..	4th Oct.
Straits	*Akita Maru* ...	4th Oct.
Manila	*Emp. of Japan* ...	4th Oct.
Shanghai	*Philoctetes* ..	4th Oct.
Europe via Suez, (Letters and Papers) London, 7th September—and Parcels, 31st August	*Rawalpindi* ..	4th Oct.
Shanghai	*Kowchow* ...	5th Oct.
Japan	*Hawaii Maru* ..	5th Oct.
Japan	*Brisbane Maru* ...	5th Oct.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 16th September)	*Pres. Jackson* ..	6th Oct.
Japan and Shanghai	*Corfu*	6th Oct.
Straits	*Bureresm*	7th Oct.
Manila	*General Pershing*	7th Oct.
Japan...	*Nagato Maru* ..	7th Oct.
Australia and Manila	*Nellore*	7th Oct.
Straits	*Achilles*	8th Oct.
Japan	*Toba Maru* ...	8th Oct.
Manila	*Pres. Coolidge* ...	9th Oct.
Shanghai	*Chenonceaux* ...	10th Oct.
Saigon	*D'Artagnan* ...	10th Oct.
Japan	*Tango Maru* ...	10th Oct.
Shanghai	*Meriones*	10th Oct.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver, B.C., 23rd September) ...	*Empress of Asia* ...	11th Oct.
Shanghai	*Conte Rosso* ...	12th Oct.

OUTWARD MAILS

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time.
		Wednesday, 4th.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 25th October—and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Chichibu Maru* ...	4th 8.30 A M
Foochow via Swatow	*Hangsang* ...	5.30 A M
Straits	*Philoctetes* ...	2.30 P M
Swatow	*Seistan*	3.00 P M
Amoy	*Tai Yuan*	3.30 P M
Amoy	*Tilawa*	5.00 P M
		Thursday, 5th.
Hoihow and Pakhoi	*Wing Lee*	8.30 A M
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	*Dali Maru* ...	8.30 A M
Shanghai and *Japan	*Rawalpindi* ...	10.30 A M
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 19th Oct. ...	*Brisbane Maru*	Parcels 11.00 A M; Reg. 12.45 P M; Letters 1.30 P M
Swatow	*Hydrangea* ...	3.00 P M
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C.—due Vancouver, B.C., 24th October—and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Emp. of Japan* ...	Par. 5th, 5.00 P M; Reg. 6th, 9.15 A M; Letters 10.00 A M
		Friday, 6th.
Hoihow	*Kiangchow* ...	10.30 A M
*Straits East and South Africa	*Hawaii Maru* ..	1.30 A M
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiyang* ...	3.00 P M
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service".	Corfu ...	K.P.O. Reg. 6th, 4.30 P M; Letters 5.00 P M. G.P.O. Reg. 6th, 5.00 P M; Let. 7th, 9.00 A M. Kowloon P.O. Par. 6th, 4.30 P M; Reg. 7th, 9.00 A M; Letters 10.00 A M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 3rd November	*Corfu*	G.P.O. Par. 6th, 5.00 P M; Reg. 7th, 9.45 A M; Letters 10.30 A M
		Saturday, 7th.
Japan and *Canada—due Victoria B.C., 1st November	*Protesilaus* ...	10.00 A M
Haiphong	*Canton*	2.00 P M
Manila	*Pres. Jackson* ..	4.20 P M
Shanghai, Japan U.S.A., Central and South America, *Canada and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 8th October—and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Gen. Pershing* ...	Reg. 4.15 P M; Letters 5.00 P M
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	*Canton Maru* ...	Sunday, 8th. 9.00 A M
		Tuesday, 10th.
Batavia	*Tjisalak*	10.30 A M
Reunion, Mauritius, Madagascar, Lourenco —Marques and South Africa via Batavia	*Tjisalak* ... (To connect with the s.s. "Barentsz" at Batavia: leaving Batavia, on 8th October) ...	10.30 A M
*Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., C. and S. America, *Canada and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 30th October—and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Pres. Coolidge* ...	Parcels 10.00 A M; Reg. 11.15 A M; Letters Noon
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service" ...	Chenonceaux	K.P.O. Reg. 10.00 A M; Let. 10.30 A M. G.P.O. Reg. 10.30 A M; Let. 11.00 A M. Kowloon P.O. Reg. 11.00 A M; Letters 11.00 A M. G.P.O. Reg. 11.15 A M; Letters Noon
Saigon and *EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 10th November	*Chenonceaux* ...	Noon
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Tonkin* ...	Noon
Shanghai	*D'Artagnan* ...	Noon
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haushing* ...	Noon
Manila	*Emp. of Asia* ...	Wednesday, 11th, 8.30 P M

* Superscribed correspondence only.

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